The Weather
Today—Sunny and warm. Temperature rising to 80. Yesterday—High, 77; low, 43.

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Maryland Cuts Income Tax 50 Per Cen

Lewis Ends Coal Strike 'In Interest Of Public'

Orders Resumption Of Work Monday; Acts After Collapse Of Capital Parley

By Alfred Friendly
Post Staff Writer

Accompanied by a proclamation that he was acting "in the public interest," United Mine Workers President John L. Lewis yesterday called off the 26-day soft coal strike and ordered the miners to report back to work next Monday.

No explanation was given by Lewis for his surprising move, which followed the collapse on Monday of negotiations conducted by Labor Secretary Schwellenbach between the miners' chief and the soft coal operators.

The implication in a statement issued by K. C. Adams, mine workers editor and spokesman, was that since the Government had failed to settle the dispute, Lewis could and would end it by himself. Adams said:

"Obviously the Government has failed to settle the matter. Obviously the action (to call off the strike) is taken in the public interest."

1031 Mines Shut Down

In the course of the strike, concentrated in the Appalachian area, a total of 15 million tons of coal will have been lost before the mines reopen on Monday, the Solid Fuels Administration estimated. The Nation, which already had a 10-million-ton deficit before the strike began, will thus enter the winter with a 25-million-ton shortage. As of yesterday, 1031 mines were shut down.

On word of the back to work order, the SFA lifted, with immediate effect, its partial embargo on deliveries for the seven States affected. The SFA orders had prohibited mines from shipping coal to any but a limited number of users, such as hospitals and public utilities.

In announcing the end of the strike, Lewis informed district unions that negotiations had been suspended on the basic issue of the stoppage. He added, pointedly, that "future efforts to abate this controversy will be resumed at a later, more appropriate, date."

Issue Confined to Bargaining

The controversy had been confined to demands of a subsidiary organization of the UMW, comprised of foremen and supervisory employes, to be recognized as a collective bargaining agent. A case to determine the propriety of such an organization's being recognized in collective bargaining is pending before the National Labor Relations Board. A hearing on the case is scheduled here next Tuesday before the NLRB.

Promptly on the issuance of Lewis' decision, the coal operators' representatives hailed "the turn of events" and promised that no penalties would be assessed against the striking miners "despite the fact that we are under contract with the UMW to do so."

Labor Warfare Keeps 454,000 Off Their Jobs

By the Associated Press

More than 454,000 were away from work because of labor disputes yesterday. Major industries affected were:

PUBLIC UTILITIES—CIO strike threat may cut off gas, and electric service to two million Michigan consumers in 2000 communities; men to stop work today, union says.

SHIPPING — Leaders of rival AFL longshoremen's faction dispute number of dockhands returning to piers in port of New York; union president hopes to resume negotiations today with ship operators on new contract as walkout passes seventeenth daw with more than 400 ships tied up.

FOOD—AFL unions and milk companies agree to arbitrate wage-hour dispute that threatened 7,600,000 New York area residents with halt in milk deliveries; AFL drivers return to work in Gary, Ind., area.

MOTION PICTURES—Pickets continue sitdown tactics outside Warner Brothers' lot; police haul them to sidewalks; Eric Johnson, new industry leader, works on settlement of 32-week AFL controversy.

LUMBER—AFL leaders of 61,000 strikers say discussions to be resumed soon with big operating group; three Idaho locals withdraw from northwest area strike, to seek separate agreement; CIO continues campaign for higher pay for its 40,000 members.

COAL—In surprise move John L. Lewis orders 216,000 striking soft coal miners to resume work in six States Monday.

In the threatened Michigan utili-

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Enterprise Arrives for Navy Day Celebration

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

AMONG FIRST TO REACH NEW YORK—The carrier Enterprise, one of the first major warships to arrive for Navy Day is aided by tugs to a berth in the North River just as the sun rises over New York's skyline. Navy blimp flies over the ship

10 Indicted For Misuse of Bank Funds

Virginia Legislator Among Those Named In Federal Charges

Richmond, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—The United States District Court's October grand jury today brought a 45-page indictment charging 10 persons, including two Virginia bankers and a Virginia legislator, with misapplication of funds under the Federal Reserve Act.

William Reeves Gardner, 44-year-old former vice president of the defunct Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Fredericksburg, now serving a 7-year term in the penitentiary, was charged on 20 counts with misapplication of funds. Gardner was sentenced by Judge Leon M. Bazile in Fredericksburg Circuit Court last June 22 after he had pleaded guilty to charges of larceny and embezzlement of $75,000 from the now liquidated bank.

For Aiding and Abetting

Nine others were charged in the Federal indictment with feloniously aiding and abetting Gardner in the misapplication of funds in one or more of the counts. Those charged, in addition to Gardner, are Delegate Joseph Edwin Proffit, of Floyd Courthouse, president of the Floyd County Bank; Clarence Leslie Robey, president of the National Bank of Purcellville, in Loudoun County; Hugh Namon Rakes, Virginia dairyman, and his wife, Lillian Conner Rakes; Paul Karsten, jr., of Fredericksburg, who was vice president of the bank with which Gardner was connected at Fredericksburg; Harry Lamson, Washington real estate man; Kyle Menefee Weeks, attorney and law partner of Delegate Proffit, at Floyd Courthouse; D. E. Nelson, retired real estate man living in Roanoke, and Joseph A. Sowers, cashier of the Floyd County Bank.

Investigated for Over Year

The true bill handed down by the grand jury climaxed more than a year of investigation by FBI agents. All of the offenses charged in the indictment are alleged to have taken place at the Planters' branch of the old Farmers and Merchants Bank.

The indictment charged Gardner, a former vice president of the bank, with "knowingly, unlawfully, willfully, and feloniously misapplying" funds amounting to $455,660. Divided into 20 counts, the indictment alleges in the first 18 counts that Gardner caused drafts to be issued on the Planters' branch, drawn on the Central National Bank of Richmond and payable to the Federal

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Pauley Urged Senators to Aid Tidelands Bill

Former Democratic Committee Officer Has Heavy Oil Stake

By Edward A. Harris

Edwin W. Pauley, American representative on the Allied Reparations Commission with the personal rank of ambassador, and former treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, personally urged three United States Senators last March to support the controversial legislation that would renounce all claim of the Federal Government to billions of dollars worth of oil in the Nation's tidelands, the Post-Dispatch learned yesterday.

Pauley has a heavy financial stake in California tidelands oil wells.

His activities in behalf of the multibillion-dollar tidelands bill were undertaken at a time when he was still committee treasurer. He was appointed reparations commissioner by President Truman on April 27, this year, and simultaneously resigned the committee post.

Submitted to Lessees

The Post-Dispatch disclosed Tuesday that the original resolution renouncing Federal rights to the tidelands was drafted by Attorney General Robert W. Kenny of California and his special assistant, William W. Clary, in consultation with other attorneys general and port authorities throughout the country.

It was submitted by Kenny's office to California tideland lessees, including oil companies, before being brought to Washington for introduction to Congress, where it was

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Test Suit to Be Taken To U. S. Supreme Court

The Department of Justice plans to drop its test suit to determine tidelands ownership, filed May 29 in United States District Court at Los Angeles, and to institute the action instead in the Supreme Court, with the State of California as defendant.

This strategy is being adopted to expedite final determination by the Supreme Court. Direct action in Washington also would serve to dramatize the race between the Department of Justice for judicial determination of tidelands ownership and Congress, where legislation is pending to renounce Federal rights to the lands.

Ships Reach Eastern Ports For Navy Day

New York, Oct. 17 (AP).—Mighty units of the Pacific Fleet which blockaded Japan and helped bring that nation to defeat steamed into New York Harbor today.

Ten battle-scarred warships, headed by the famous aircraft carrier Monterey, bearing flags which told in Navy code of its record of 500 Jap planes shot down, hundreds of other damaged, and at least five warships sunk, comprised the group.

They were the vanguard of 50 fighting ships which will be here October 27 to participate in the Navy Day celebration. President Truman will review the ships from a destroyer.

Close behind the Monterey came the carrier Enterprise—"Big E"—which fought in 18 of the major Pacific naval battles after the Japanese had reported her sunk.

Other Arriving Ships

Then came in succession the carrier Bataan, the heavy cruiser Portland and the destroyers Foote, Young, Zellers, Aulick, Douglas H. Fox and the Sterett.

Blimps and airplanes circled overhead, and PT torpedo boats leaped in and out of the line and zipped around the carriers.

Forty-three other warships will arrive here in the next few days to take part in the celebration. Among them will be the battleship Missouri, aboard which the Japanese signed the papers of surrender.

Three of those which arrived today, the Portland, Bataan and Sterett, will leave soon for celebrations in other ports.

Four hours after the Enterprise and Monterey docked, their crews had consumed 6500 containers of milk, 8000 doughnuts and 1500 gallons of coffee distributed by the Red Cross. That done, the men

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British Troops Rush to Quell Java Uprisings

Indonesian Extremists Kill Dutch Citizens And Terrorize Women

By Ralph Morton

Batavia, Java, Oct. 17 (AP).—British troops rushed to widely scattered areas of Java tonight after Indonesian extremists ran amok in one village, killing 15 persons including Dutch citizens, and other bands were reported terrorizing women internees in several localities.

The worst spots appeared to be at Depok, 20 miles from Batavia, where zealous followers of the nationalist movement shot to death or beheaded 15 Netherlanders and Christian Indonesians, and at Semarang, in central Java, where the Red Cross staff had been seized.

Troops Battle Rioters

The Indonesian extremists also had seized all Red Cross workers, internees and the entire staff of the organization for the relief of Allied prisoners of war at Awbarawa and Banjoebirce in central Java.

Three hundred British troops already had arrived at Depok, where Indian Ghurkas of the Twenty-third Division fought a pitched battle with about 800 rioters.

The British finally reported the situation in hand at Depok, but said the Indonesian band still was in the area and was heavily armed.

A British spokesman said patrols were being sent to Awbarawa and Banjoebirce as quickly as possible, and that troops would arrive at Semarang tomorrow.

Homes Destroyed

At Magelang, a few miles south of Semarang, hospitals were surrounded and guarded by young Indonesians with tommy guns. No fresh food was allowed to enter.

At Depok homes were destroyed

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Puzzling Ocean Hops

Only Gromyko, Red Embassy Know Purpose of Secret Visit

By the Associated Press

Soviet Ambassador Gromyko's in-and-out visit here Monday stirred a rash of speculation yesterday, but apparently only Gromyko and Moscow knew the reason for the transatlantic commuting.

The confusion started when Press Secretary Charles G. Ross told White House reporters that Gromyko had not seen President Truman during his quick visit but had talked to Secretary of State Byrnes.

But Byrnes told his news conference that he had not learned of Gromyko's visit until five minutes previously and had telephoned Ross that he had not seen the Soviet Ambassador.

"We were misinformed," was Ross' explanation when reporters checked him again.

The Soviet Embassy kept its own counsel, as usual. All a spokesman would say was that Gromyko arrived from London, saw his family and the Embassy staff, and departed for London less than 24 hours later.

This Embassy official added that he did not know the purpose of Gromyko's flying round trip. It had not been expected until his arrival, he said, that the Ambassador would be able to leave his duties as Soviet representative on the United Nations interim commission in London for some time.

The spokesman said he hoped Gromyko would soon be able to return to his post in Washington.

New Crisis Likely

Russia Insists on Allied Board To Control Japan, Byrnes Says

By John M. Hightower
Associated Press Staff Writer

Conflicts between the United States and Russia over Balkan governments and Japan are approaching a new period of crisis.

The outcome of the conflicts is considered certain to have a vital influence on the future of American-Soviet relations.

In respect to Japan, Byrnes disclosed that Russia is standing pat on its demand that an Allied control council should take over supreme authority there from Gen. Douglas MacArthur. As a result, it is possible that Russia will refuse to send a representative to the first meeting of the American-sponsored Far Eastern Advisory Commission here next Tuesday.

On Balkan conflicts, the central problem is whether the United States—and England too—will recognize Soviet-supported governments in Romania and Bulgaria, which they have thus far declined to do.

A special investigator for Byrnes, Publisher Mark Ethridge of Louisville, Ky., was scheduled to leave overnight for those two countries to investigate the extent of political freedom existing there. Ethridge was especially chosen by Byrnes as a trained and impartial investigator.

Unless conditions in the Balkans change abruptly, Ethridge is likely to find political "front" governments efficiently controlled by local Communists and denying very wide freedom of political opposition. American officials say they will be willing to recognize Communist government of any variety in Romania and Bulgaria so long as they are convinced that those governments have the support of the people.

Byrnes told his news conference that he wanted Ethridge to look into questions of laws bearing on democratic rights for the people.

The question of the Far Eastern Advisory Commission came up when Byrnes was asked whether Russia had accepted the bid to the meeting on October 23. He said the Russians had simply advised him that a control council should be set up before any sort of advisory commission went into operation. Despite this firm stand on Russia's part, Byrnes said he still hoped that they would send a delegate to the October 23 session.

The advisory commission would include the United States, Britain, Russia and China as well as six smaller nations which fought the Pacific war. There appears to be

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Diplomatic 'Miracle' Urged

Congress Told One Atom Raid Could Kill 40 Million in Night

By the Associated Press

Congress was told yesterday that 40 million Americans could be killed in one overnight raid if there is "one false move in international diplomacy."

Dr. H. J. Curtis, one of the men who helped make the atom bomb, called for a "miracle" in international relations to prevent a "war too horrible to contemplate." He said the impelling motives for a miraculous improvement in diplomacy "should be just as strong as those which moved up to create the atomic bomb."

Dr. Curtis testified at a joint Senate Military-Commerce Subcommittee hearing on behalf of the Association of Oak Ridge Scientists. The hearings are of a proposed national science foundation to explore the atom and other scientific developments.

Another witness, Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer of the New Mexico atomic laboratories, testified "I am afraid it is" when asked if it was true that a single night's raid on America could kill 40 million persons in congested cities.

Curtis predicted that the scientists' suggestion for international control might be scoffed at as visionary.

"In reply," he said, "I will simply state that the possibility of developing atomic energy was also so labeled a scant six years ago, and yet today it is a reality.

"We can see no reason why a similar miracle cannot be achieved in international relations."

Even "total destruction of civilization as we know it" was given as a possible alternative to keeping the peace.

"We regret that the atomic age began, of necessity, with hideous destruction," Dr. Curtis said. "Our only consolation is that it helped to achieve a peace which must now be maintained."

"We have concluded," he went on, "that the best interests of this country will be served by turning over control of atomic energy to an international authority whose function will be to so regulate the development of atomic energy that the atomic bomb will be used only by a world authority if necessary for the enforcement of peace."

President Truman talked at the White House with legislative leaders during the day about the future use and control of atomic bomb energy.

Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader, told reporters afterward that he expects Senate approval tomorrow of a special

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State Also Authorizes Real Estate Levy Slash

Reduction Brings Rate on Property Down to Lowest Point Since 1861

Baltimore, Oct. 17 (AP).—Governor O'Conor announced today a 50 per cent reduction in Maryland income tax for individual taxpayers and a decrease to 10 cents per $100 valuation on the State property tax, compared with 11 cents at present.

The tax reductions were authorized at a meeting of the Board of Public Works at which reports by State fiscal officers, covering several weeks, were considered.

The action increases the allowable deduction on income tax returns from 33 1-3 per cent to 50 per cent, and it was estimated this would amount to a $1,141,000 saving for individual taxpayers.

The real estate reduction brings the State rate to the lowest point since 1861. The reduction will represent a saving of $284,000 next year to property owners, the Governor said.

The reduction of $1,425,000 announced today brings to $6,533,000 the saving in income tax and real estate tax payments for the calendar year 1945, O'Conor said.

A one third reduction in income taxes effected at the last session of the General assembly cut the State tax burden $2,571,000, and in addition the State real property taxes were cut from 12 to 11 cents, representing a saving of $284,000.

The Governor said that a total of $24,092,000 had been saved taxpayers since 1939 as a result of reductions in income and State real estate levies.

A move to initiate the cuts announced today was inaugurated last month when arrangements were made for a survey of State revenues and a check was instituted on estimated savings by departments and agencies from current budgetary appropriations.

Court Orders Sheriff to Whip Wife-Beater

Lloyd O. Bushing, 30, of Dillon Park, Md., was sentenced yesterday in Prince Georges Circuit Court to receive 10 lashes, a seldom used Maryland penalty for wife beaters.

The man was convicted by a jury of "brutal assault" on his wife, Dorothy, at their home, 5208 H st., June 30. Judge Charles C. Marbury, in passing sentence, said he ordered the lashes rather than a jail sentence so that the family would not be deprived of Bushing's support.

Judge Marbury jointed out that the law provides for a 12 months jail sentence or up to 40 lashes. He said he could not let Bushing go unpunished because testimony of neighbors revealed that this was one of a series of beatings. Neither Bushing or his wife took the stand.

The sentence will be administered by County Sheriff R. Earle Sheriff or one of his deputies in the County Jail at Marlboro. The justice expressed the hope that the sheriff would carry out the sentence in private. This is not intended to be a "Roman holiday," he said.

The law does not provide for the type of lash to be used, the judge said.

Testimony of neighbors revealed that Bushing and his wife had returned to their home after visiting with friends when the beating took place. Police testified that bloodstains were found about the house. Neighbors testified that Mrs. Bushing had several front teeth knocked out.

In 1941 a Bradbury Heights man was sentenced to six lashes for wife beating after conviction in County Trial Magistrates Court. He appealed and the case was nolle-prossed after study of the law showed that the trial magistrate had no authority to order this penalty.

Dutch Condemn Traitor

The Hague, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—One of the outstanding Dutch traitors, Dr. R. van Genechten, in charge of education in Holland during part of its occupation by the Germans, was sentenced to death today by a special tribunal, the Aneta News Agency reported.

Capital in Uproar

New Civilian Cabinet Faces General Strike in Argentina

Buenos Aires, Oct. 17 (AP).—A new civilian cabinet was formed today by Argentina's military government, but it immediately faced the threat of a general strike.

Followers of Col. Juan Peron, ousted ten days ago as Vice President, Minister of War and Secretary of Labor by the army, kept the capital city in an uproar today as they roamed the streets shouting for Peron. One was injured when police fired tear gas bombs.

The General Confederation of Workers, Argentina's major labor organization, with a membership estimated at 1,500,000, called for a 24-hour general strike starting at 12:01 a. m. tomorrow. The confederation includes members of the railroad union, tramways union, commerce employes, construction workers, waiters, telephone employes and meat handlers.

Confederation leaders said the nation-wide strike was called to protest against "any government of oligarchs" and against the delivery of the government to the supreme court," as has been demanded by the conservative element in Argentina.

There was evidence, however, that not all of labor was behind the strike call.

Leaders of the textile union protested against the demonstrations of the Peron followers and charged they had forced workers "by threats backed by firearms" to leave their work.

The Buenos Aires Typographical Union also asked its members to ignore the general strike call, which it said emanated from "Nazi-Fascist reactionaries." Other independent union leaders also expressed disapproval.

Confederation leaders said the strikers would stage a mass parade and demonstration in Buenos Aires tomorrow.

Only two days ago the confederation had called for the routing out of the Nazi-Fascist influence in the government, but it appeared the delay in forming the new cabinet had given Peron followers time to organize demonstrations in his favor and to swing over a majority of the executive committee of the confederation.

Furthermore, those named to the new cabinet are either outright conservatives or members of the Centrist Party. Labor has expressed concern that any new government might cancel the gains in wages and working hours granted by Peron during his 18 months in power.

The new cabinet was formed by Attorney General Alvarez, who will be minister of interior, charged with maintaining order. Isidoro Ruiz Moreno was named foreign minister.

Finance Minister is Alberto Hueyo. The other members are Edmundo Sustaita, Minister of Aeronautics; Jorge Figueroa Alcorta, Minister of Justice and Public Education; Tomas Amadeo, Minister of Agriculture; Juan Fentanes, Minister of Labor and So-

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Seek 1% of Salaries

Truman Urges U. S. Workers To Put Fund Drive Over the Top

President Truman took a personal hand in Washington's War Fund drive yesterday.

He asked all department heads to urge Government workers to make a concerted effort to put the drive over.

At the same time, to step up lagging Government workers' contributions, war fund officials set as their goal 1 per cent of the annual salaries of all workers.

Under the new "yardstick" for measuring the size of the gifts donors should make, it was pointed out that 1 per cent of an average annual salary of $1800 would cost the worker $1.50 a month; an average salary of $2300, approximately $1.92 a month, and a $3200 a year employe would pay $2.67 a month.

Total Government service returns up to yesterday showed that only $900,625 had been pledged—or 41.6 per cent of the Government quota. In establishing the new scale for gifts, fund officials felt, rested Washington's best chances to reach the $4,700,000 goal by Tuesday, end of the drive.

In his directive to Cabinet members and independent agency heads, the Chief Executive bluntly said:

"I ask the members of the Cabinet and heads of the independent establishments in the Federal and District Governments to do their utmost personally to hasten the coverage of their departments . . . and to explain to their employes the real necessity for obtaining

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Message Due Tuesday

Truman Will Ask Congress For Modified Military Training

By Robert C. Albright
Post Staff Writer

The Administration yesterday took up the cudgels for two basic reforms in postwar military policy.

1. President Truman disclosed through his leaders that he will ask Congress next week for a modified program of universal military training.

2. Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson recommended before the Senate Military Committee a single department of national defense, with coordinated air, ground and naval arms.

The President's decision to address Congress next Tuesday on the controversial postwar military training issue, followed advice from some leaders that the subject has been "badly sold."

Following a White House conference, Speaker Sam Rayburn told newsmen he believed the President "will recommend some kind of training program, but I do not know what form it will take."

Neither Rayburn nor Senate Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley (D., Ky.) who participated in the White House talks, thought that the President would deal with unifying the armed forces in his message, though he is known to favor an Army-Navy merger.

Only last week Gen. George C.

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Loan League Assets Climb 14%, Set Peak

By S. Oliver Goodman

Combined resources of the 27 associations composing the District of Columbia Building and Loan League advanced 14 per cent in the 12 months ended September 30 and reached a new high of $240,880,933.

Reporting this yesterday, League Secretary F. Willson Camp said the increase in assets amounted to $30,500,000.

First mortgage loans continued to climb during the month, the aggregate now being $188,460,000. This was a gain of $17,600,000 for the 12-month period. Home borrowings in September alone totaled $5,340,000. Holdings of Government bonds also were heavier and are now listed at $41,925,000.

The membership of the 27 associations, including both investing and borrowing, numbered 186,354 at the end of September, also a record. Shareholders increased their balances about 25 million dollars during the 12 months. Association reserves were strengthened by $2,420,000, bringing that figure to a new peak of 21 million dollars.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Price of Carelessness

The Hamilton National Bank revealed last night that nearly 1250 stock purchase warrants were voider Monday at noon because they had not been exercised. The warrants ended at about $8 each and therefore holders lost $10,000 in hard cash. Since the expiration date of the rights had been amply reported through the news columns and advertisements, this waste was solely the fault of careless investors. However between 94 and 95 per cent of investors in Hamilton stock took advantage of the "melon" according to President W. J. Waller.

Accountants to Meet

G. E. Lukas, consulting accountant to United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, will be the speaker in the palm room of Hotel 2400 tonight at the regular meeting of the Washington Chapter of the National Association of Costs Accountants. His subject will be "Costs Accounting and Its Relationships to Foreign Relief and Rehabilitation."

W. H. Danne, president of the District of Columbia Institute of Cerified Public Accountants, will act as technical chairman. About 100 are expected to be present.

WPB Aide Rejoins Rohm & Haas

George H. Sollenberger, recently of the War Production Board, has returned to the Rohm & Haas Co., Philadelphia. Prior to his appointment to the WPB Chemicals Bureau in 1942, where he became deputy and later acting chief of the plastics branch, Mr. Sollenberger was attached to the Chicago office of Rohm & Haas.

Dresser Stock Offered

Harriman Ripley & Co. head a group offering 60,000 shares of preferred stock, 3¾ per cent series, $100 par value, of Dresser Industries, Inc., at $103 a share and accrued dividend.

Proceeds will be applied to payment of bank loans, retirement of preferred stock of a subsidiary, to expansion and improvement of plants and equipment and to addition to the general funds of the company.

Insurance Sales Up 5.1%

New life insurance business of 39 companies in September, 1945, was $681,374,000, an increase of 5.1 per cent over $648,376,000 in September, 1944, the Life Insurance Association of America reported yesterday. For the first nine months of 1945, new business was $7,100,801,000, against $6,873,272,000 for the same period in 1944, an increase of 3.3 per cent.

Earnings Statements

North American Rayon Corp. reports for 36 weeks ended September 8, net profit of $1,250,222, equal to $2.32 a common share, compared with $1,150,966, or $2.12 a share, in the 1944 period.

Hayes Industries, Inc., reports for the year ended July 31 net profit of $658,636, equal to $1.98 a share on the common stock, compared with $817,323, or $2.45 a share, in the preceding year.

Reliable Stores Corp. reports for 12 months ended September 30 net profit of $663,782, equal to $1.80 a common share, against $870,390, or $2.49 a share, in the preceding 12 months.

L. A. Young Spring & Wire Corp. reports for the fiscal year ended July 31 net income of $1,126,938, equal to $2.76 a share, compared with $908,862, or $2.22 a share, in the preceding year.

SEC Suspends Trade In Oil Firm's Stock

Philadelphia, Oct. 16 (AP).—The Securities and Exchange Commission summarily suspended today for a ten-day period trading on the New York Curb Exchange in the $1 par value common stock of Red Bank Oil Co., New York, "to prevent fraudulent, deceptive and manipulative acts and practices."

Stop-order proceedings against the company, instituted August 29, now are pending before the commission.

The hearing in the proceedings has been adjourned upon motion of the company to permit an independent audit to be made.

New York Cotton

New York, Oct. 16 (AP).—Cotton futures moved in a narrow range today as traders awaited further developments on the parity question and foreign credit arrangements for cotton export. Final prices were 10 to 30 cents a bale lower.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
October	23.00	23.09	23.00	23.06 —4
December	23.18	23.24	23.18	23.19 —5-6
March	23.26	23.31	23.25	23.27 —2
May	23.28	23.32	23.27	23.27 —2
July	23.16	23.18	23.12	23.12 —3
Oct. (1946)	22.67	22.70	22.62	22.62* —3

*Bid.
Middling, spot, 23.53 (nominal), off 12.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 1,630,00 shares; previous day, 1,630,000; week ago, 1,634,780; year ago, 670,790; two years ago, 608,320; January 1 to date, 286,233; year ago, 205,108,772; two years ago, 234,735,614.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, Oct. 16.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Ch'ge.
30 Inds.	185.22	185.98	184.42	185.49	—0.02
20 rails	60.04	60.33	59.73	59.89	—0.21
15 utils.	35.15	35.45	34.94	35.34	+0.16
65 stocks	68.89	69.14	68.48	68.86	—0.03

Transactions in stocks used in averages—Today: industrials, 64,900; rails, 60,800; utilities, 84,500; 65 stocks, 210,500.

	Sales, Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	4	81	80½	80½	+1½
Abr & Straus	8	14¾	14¾	14¾	—
Acme St	34	34	34	34	—
Adams Exp	15	17⅞	17¼	17⅝	—
Adams-Millis	1	41	41	41	—
Addressog-Mult	3	29¼	29¼	29¼	—
Air Reduction	15	52	51¾	52	+¼
Alaska Juneau	7	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	—
Alleghany Corp	40	4½	4⅜	4⅜	—
Alleghany pf	4	52½	52⅜	52½	—
Allen Ludg St	8	38½	37¾	38½	+¾
Allen Industries	7	22⅜	22¼	22¼	—
Al Chem & Dye	6	182¾	180	182¾	+3
Allied Kid	4	21¼	20⅞	21⅛	—
Allied Mills	34	32½	31¾	32½	+¼
Allied Stra	23	37	36½	36½	—
Alis-Ch Mfg	20	52⅞	52⅛	52⅜	—
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	20	52⅞	52⅝	52⅝	—
Alpha P Cem	1	33¼	33¼	33¼	—
Amal Leather	3	6¾	6¾	6¾	—
Amerada Pet	6	130¾	130	130	—
Am Ac Ch Del	10	38⅛	38	38	—
Am Airlines	11	76⅝	75¼	76⅛	—
Am Bank Note	8	32¾	31½	32⅜	+1¼
Am Bosch	2	18⅝	18½	18⅝	—
Am Brake Shoe	7	53¼	53	53¼	—
Am Cable & R	75	13¼	13	13	—
Am Can	10	110	109½	109½	—
Am Car & Fdy	17	59⅝	58¾	58¾	—
Am Ch & Cable	5	36½	36½	36½	—
Am Colortype	2	21½	21½	21½	—
Am Crystal Sug	6	24¼	24	24	—
Am Distill	30	42½	40¾	42⅛	+1¼
Am Encaus Til	1	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	—
Am European	1	17¼	17¼	17¼	—
Am Export Ln	22	41½	41	41	—
Am & For Pow	64	6½	6¼	6½	—
Am & FP $6pf	3	105	105	105	—
Am & FP $7pf	6	112	112	112	—
Am & F P 2 pf	32	21¼	21¼	21¼	—
Am-Hawaii SS	2	44	43	44	—
Am Hide & Lea	31	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	—
Am Home Prod	7	84¾	84	84¾	+1¼
Am Ice	19	10¼	10	10¼	—
Am Ice pf	1	98¼	98¼	98¼	+¼
Am Internat	4	12¼	12¼	12¼	—
Am Invest Ill	11	14¼	13⅝	14¼	—
Am Locomot	13	36⅞	36	36⅞	—
Am Machine	1	17	17	17	—
Am M & Fdy	33	32¾	32	32¾	+¼
Am M & Met	16	17¾	17¼	17¼	—
Am Metal	9	32¾	32½	32⅝	+¼
Am Pow & Lt	55	9	8¾	9	—
A P & L $6 pf	4	90¼	89¾	89¾	—
A P & L $5 pf	8	80¾	79½	80	—
Am Rad & St S	17	19¾	19¼	19¾	—
Am Roll Mill	46	28¾	27¾	28¼	—
Am Safety Raz	1	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	+¼
Am Seating	1	30	30	30	—
Am Smelt & R	9	62	61¾	62	—
Am Snuff	3	47	47	47	—
Am Stl Fdrs	12	38½	37¾	37¾	—
Am Stores	21	24¾	24¼	24¼	—
Am Sugar Ref	10	51¾	51½	51¾	+1
Am Sugar pf	2	141¼	141¼	141¼	—
Am Tel & Tel	29	184¾	184¼	184¾	—
Am Tobacco	1	87½	87½	87½	—1
Am Tob B	3	89½	89½	90¼	—
Am Viscose	4	60¼	60¼	60¼	—
Am Viscose pf	2	117	117	117	—
Am Wat Wks	56	17¾	17¾	17¾	—
Am Woolen	5	23¾	23	23¾	—
Am Wool pf	1	121¼	121¼	121¼	—
Am Zinc L & S	178	11¾	11¾	11¾	—
Am Zinc pr pf	1	79¾	79¾	79¾	+3¾
Anaconda Cop	33	38¾	38¾	38¾	—
Anchor Hock Gl	5	38⅛	38	38⅛	+¼
Anderson Clay	10	41¾	41¾	41¾	—
Andes Copper	6	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	—
A P W Prod	6	6¾	6¾	6¾	—
Arch-Dan-M	2	29½	29	29	—
Armour	75	11¾	11¾	11¾	—
Armour pr pf	1	119½	119½	119½	+¼
Armstrong Cork	6	54¾	54	54¾	—
Arnold Const	1	17¼	17¼	17¼	—
Associates Pet	22	16⅛	15¾	16⅜	+¼
Assd Dry Gds	8	32¾	32¼	32¾	+¼
Atch T & S F	15	97¾	96½	96⅝	+1¼
Atl Coast Line	2	70½	70	70½	—
Atl G & W Ind	1	40¼	40¼	40¼	—1
Atl Refining	36	38¾	37¾	38⅝	—
Atlas Corp	10	19¼	19¼	19¼	—
Atl Coast Ill	4	16	16	16	—
Autocar Co	3	20⅝	20½	20⅝	+¼
Aviation Corp	88	8⅞	8¾	8¾	—
Avco Mfg	71	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	—
Balt & Ohio	53	23¼	22½	22⅝	—
Balt & Ohio pf	9	37	36¾	36¾	—
Barber Asph	3	40¾	40¾	40¾	+¼
Barnsdall Oil	4	21	20¾	21	—
Bath Ir Wks	11	17¼	17¼	17¼	—
Beatrice Cream	7	50	48¾	50	+1
Beech Aire	34	14¾	14¼	14¾	—
Bell Aire	25	24¾	24	24¼	—¼
Bell & Howell	1	22¾	22¾	22¾	—
Bendix Aviat	15	61¼	60¾	60¾	—1
Benef Ind Ln	2	27	26⅝	26⅝	—
Best & Co	1	28	27¾	27¾	—
Best Foods	6	23	22½	22⅞	—
Beth Steel	24	95¾	94	95¾	+1¼
Black & Decker	4	30¼	30	30¼	—
Blaw-Knox	29	19¾	19¾	19¾	—
Bliss & Laugh	1	28	28	28	—¼
Boeing Airpl	38	37¾	36⅝	37¼	—
Bohn Al & Br	5	68¼	67	67¼	—¼
Bond Strs	4	34¼	34	34¼	+¼
Borden Co	8	43¼	42½	43¼	+1
Borg-Warner	7	51¾	51½	51¾	+¼
Boston&Maine	1	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	—
Bower Roll Bear	2	59	59	59	—
Brandt Airw	8	23¾	23⅜	23⅝	—
Bridgeport Br	9	17	16⅞	16⅞	—
Briggs Mfg	9	50¼	50	50	—
Briggs&Strat	1	48	48	48	—
Bklyn Un G	5	68¾	68¾	68¾	—
Brown Shoe	1	63¾	63¾	63¾	—
Brunswick-Balke	2	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	—
Brunswick-Er	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	—
Budd Mfg	13	18	17¾	17¾	—
Budd Wheel	7	20¾	20¾	20¾	—¼
Buffalo Forge	1	31¼	31¼	31¼	—
Bullard Co	6	34¾	34¼	34¼	—
Bulova Watch	3	31¼	31¼	31½	+¼
Burling Mills	13	33¼	33¼	33⅝	—
Burr Add Mach	12	13¾	13½	13¾	—
Bush Terminal	10	9¾	9¾	9¾	—
Butler Bros	4	25	24¾	24¾	—
Butler Bros pf	1	110	110	110	+1
Butte Cop&Zinc	70	7	6¾	7	—
Byers (AM) Co	17	23¾	23	23¾	—
Byron Jackson	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	+¼
Callahan Z-Ld	213	2¼	2¼	2¼	—
Calumet & H	3	8	8	8	—
Campbell Wyant	3	28	28	28	—
Can Dry G Ale	5	44	44	44	—
Canad Pacific	69	16¾	16¼	16¼	—
Cannon Mills	2	57¾	57	57	—
Carpenter St	3	42	42	42	—
Carrier Corp	15	30½	29¾	30	—
Carrier Corp Gen	6	7¾	7¾	7¾	—
Case (J I) Co	4	42¾	42¼	42¾	—
Caterpil Tractor	5	69¼	68½	69¼	—
Celanese Corp	16	52¾	51½	51½	—
Celanese Corp pf	285				
Celanese 1st pf	2	107¼	106¾	106¾	—
Celotex Corp	8	20¾	20¼	20¼	—
Cent Aguirre	15	23	23	23	—
Cent Foundry	16	8¼	8	8	—
Cerro de Pas	14	40¾	40¾	40¾	—
Certain-teed Prod	3	14¾	14¼	14¾	—
Chain Belt	2	31½	31	31½	+¼
Champ Pap&F	4	44¾	43¾	43¾	—
Checker Cab	2	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	—
Chesapeake Corp	6	17¼	17¼	17¼	—
Ches & Ohio	33	58¼	57¾	58	+¼
Chi & E Ill	10	9	8¾	8¾	—
Chi & E Ill pf	10	22¼	21¾	22¼	+¼
Chi Grt West	5	9¼	9⅛	9¼	—
Chi Grt W pf	6	29	28¾	29	+¼
ChiMStP&Pac wi	75	26¾	25¾	26½	—
ChiMStP&P pf	31	29¾	29¼	29¾	—
ChiMStP&P pf wi	31	68¾	67¼	67¼	—1¾
Chi & NW	22	43¾	43¼	43¾	—
Chi & NW pf	11	77¾	77	77¾	—
Chi Pneu Tool	12	29¾	29¾	29¾	+¼
Chicka Cot Oil	2	18⅜	18⅛	18⅛	—
Childs Co	10	8¼	8¼	8¼	—
Chrysler Corp	16	125¾	124¾	125	—
City Finan	15	53	52	52¼	—
City Ice & Fuel	3	24½	24	24¼	+¼
City Stores	10	16¾	16¾	16¾	—
Clark Equip	5	59¾	59¾	59¾	—
Climax Molyb	28	41	40¾	40¾	—
Clett Peabody	2	53¾	53	53¾	+1
Coca-Cola	11	180	180	180	—
Colgate-Pal-P	3	40¼	40¼	40¼	—
Collins & Aik	11	44¾	43½	44	—
Col Fuel & Ir	29	30½	29	30¼	+¼
Colum Broad A	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	—
Colum Brcast B	2	42¼	42¼	42¼	—
Colum G & E	110	9¾	9¼	9¼	—
Colum Carbon	3	38¾	38¼	38¼	—
Comml Credit	3	48¾	48¼	48¾	—¼
Comml Solvents	23	19¼	18¾	19	—
Comwlth Edis	34	32¾	32½	32¾	—
Comwlth & So	1690	3	3	3	—
Com&Sth pf	18	110¼	109¾	110	—
Congoleum- Nai	3	37¾	37¼	37½	—1
Cons Coppermm	35	5¼	5	5¼	+ ⅛
Cons Diesel	581	13	12¾	12¾	—
Cons Edison pf	4	108	108	108	—
Consol Film Ind	51	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	+ ⅛
Cons Film Ind pf	61	34¾	33¾	34¼	—
Cons Laundries	14	12¾	12¾	12¾	—
Cons Nat Gas	12	44¼	42¾	42¾	—1¾
Con RR Cuba pf	3	20¾	20⅝	20⅝	—
Cons Textile	66	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	—
Cons Vultee pf	2	30	30	30	—
Consoln Coal	20	26¾	26½	26½	—
Container Corp	36	36¼	35⅞	36	—
Cont Bak	20	12¼	11¾	11¾	—
Cont Bak pf	1	103	103	103	—
Cont Can	11	49¾	49¾	49¾	—
Cont Diam Fib	18	15¾	15½	15⅝	+ ⅛
Cont Ins	4	57¾	57½	57¾	—
Cont Motors	95	16¼	15¾	16¼	+ ⅛
Cont Oil Del	10	35¾	35¼	35¾	+ ⅛
Cont Steel	2	40	39¾	40	+¾
Cooper-Bess	12	23¼	22¾	23¼	—
Cooper-Bess pf	1	82¾	82	82¾	—
Copperw Stl	10	17½	17	17⅜	—
Corn Products	9	71	70¼	71	+ ⅛
Cornell-Dub El	10	20	19⅞	19¾	—
Corning Glass	4	38¼	38	38	—
Coty Inc	13	10¼	9¾	10⅛	—
Coty Internat	28	4¾	4¼	4¼	—
Crane Co	12	39¾	39½	39¾	—
Crane Co pf	2	103	103	103	—
Cream of Wh	2	31½	31½	31½	+ ⅛
Crown Cork&S	34	46½	47¾	48	+1½
Crown Zellerb	7	28¾	28	28	—
Crucible Steel	18	49¾	48¾	49¼	—
Crucible Stl pf	2	106¼	106	106¼	+¼
Cuban-Am Sug	6	20	19½	20	—
Cudahy Pack	18	37¼	37	37¼	—
Curtis Publishg	33	23¼	22½	23⅛	—
Curtis Pub pr pf	1	74	74	74	—
Curtiss-Wright	346	7¾	7⅝	7¾	—
Curtiss-Wr A	207	29	26½	29	+2½
Cutler-Hammer	6	30½	29¾	30½	+¼
Davison Chem	9	21¾	21¼	21¾	—
Decca Records	6	44½	44¼	44½	—
Deere & Co	76	46¼	45¾	46½	+⅛
Deere & Co pf	4	37¾	37¼	37¾	+⅛
Detroit-Wem-G	1	26	26	26	—
Del & Hudson	6	43¼	43	43¼	+¼
Del Lack & W	24	13¾	12¾	13	+¼
Detroit Edison	88	24¼	24	24¼	—
Diamond Match	3	41¾	41¾	41¾	—
Diam T Motor	3	24¼	24	24½	—
Dist Corp-Seag	27	73⅜	67¼	73½	+6¼
Dixie Cup	4	39	38½	39	+¼
Doehler-Jarvis	8	28	28	28	—1
Dome Mines	17	24⅝	24¼	24½	+⅛
Douglas Airer	19	91⅞	90½	91	+¾
Dow Chem	3	153	152	153	—
Dresser Indus	27	31½	30¾	30¾	—¼
Dunhill Int	7	20¼	19¾	20	—
Duplan Corp	10	31	29¾	31	+1½
Du Pont de N	6	189½	187¾	187¾	—2¼
Eagle-Pich	21	19¾	19	19½	+¼
Eastern Air L	7	85	84	85	+1¼
Eastman Kodak	5	199½	196½	196½	—½
Eaton Mfg	3	65	64¼	64¼	—1
Ekco Prod	3	32¾	32¼	32½	—
Edis Bros Strs	2	35¾	35¾	35¾	—
Elastic Stop N	4	10¼	10	10¼	—
El Auto-Lite	11	62¾	62½	62¾	—
Elec Boat	12	17⅞	17¾	17¾	—
El & Mus Ind	4	5¾	5¾	5¾	—
El Power & Lt	257	16¼	14⅞	16¼	+1⅛
El Pow&Lt $5pf	1	136½	136½	136½	+1½
El Pow&Lt wi pf	1	148	148	148	—
El Storage Bat	2	50¼	50	50	—
El Paso Nat Gas	1	47¾	47¾	47¾	—
Emerson El M	6	23¾	23½	23½	—
Emer Rad & Ph	9	2¾	2¾	2¾	—
Eng Pub Serv	37	31¾	30¾	31¾	+¾
Equit Off Bldg	18	2½	2	2	—
Erie RR	57	18¾	17⅞	18	—
Erie RR pf A	1	38	38	38	—
Eureka V Clean	3	14¾	14¼	14¼	—
Evans Products	2	22½	22½	22½	—
Ex-Cell-O	3	62½	62¼	62½	—
Fairbanks Mor	4	60	60	60	+1
Falardo Sugar	21	31¾	31	31¾	—
Farns Tel & R	18	15¾	15¾	15¾	—
Fed Lt & Trac	13	22¾	22¼	22¾	—
Fed Mng & Sm	3	41½	41½	41½	—
Fed Mogul	1	28¼	28¼	28¼	—
Fed Mot Truck	18	22¾	22¼	22¾	—
Federat D Strs	5	46¼	45¾	46	+¼
Ferro Enam	4	32	31½	31½	—
Fid P Fire Ins	2	62½	62½	62½	+¼
Firestone T & R	2	66¼	65¾	66¼	—
Firest T & R pf	1	108	108	108	—1
First Nat Strs	2	57¾	57¾	57¾	—
Flintkote	16	27¾	27¾	27¾	—
Florence Stove	1	51	51	51	—1
Follansbee Stl	5	9½	9¾	9½	—
Food Fair Strs	3	24½	24¼	24½	—
Food Mach	4	63¾	63¼	64	—
Foster Wheeler	9	38	37¾	38	—
Francisco Sug	2	18¾	18¾	18¾	—
Freeport Sulph	14	38½	37¾	38½	—
Fruehauf Tra	5	66¾	66¼	66¾	+¼
Gabriel Co	7	9½	9½	9½	—
Gair Robert	44	7¼	7¼	7¼	—
Gamewell Co	4	22¾	22½	22½	—1
Gardner-Denv	3	21¾	21¾	21¾	—
Gar Wood Ind	45	11¼	11¼	11¼	—
Garlock Clos	6	22¾	22¼	22¾	+2
Gen Am Invest	24	18¾	18¾	18¾	—
Gen Am Trans	2	59¾	59½	59½	—
Gen Baking	14	11¾	11¼	11¼	—
Gen Bronze	1	29¾	29¾	29¾	—
Gen Cable	9	12¾	12¾	12¾	—
Gen Cable A	2	35¾	35¼	35¼	—
Gen Cigar	7	48¾	48	48¾	—
Gen Elec	47	48¼	48	48¼	—
Gen Foods	6	50¾	50¼	50¾	—
Gen G & E1 A	54	4¾	4¾	4¾	—
Gen Mills	4	48	48	48	—
Gen Motors	52	74½	73¾	74	—
Gen Out Advt	8	19¾	19¾	19¾	—
Gen Prec Eq	10	21	20¾	21	—
Gen Pub Service	24	4	3¾	3¾	—
Gen Ry Signal	3	39½	39¼	39½	—
Gen Real & Util	12	6¾	6¾	6¾	—
Gen Refract	7	29	28	28¾	—
Gen Shoe	4	27¾	27½	27½	—
Gen Tel	2	34⅝	34¼	34¼	—
Gen Time Inst	2	35¾	35¾	35¾	—
Gen T & Rub	4	33¾	33	33¾	—
Gillette Saf R	23	20¾	20¼	20½	+¼
Gimbel Bros	8	37¾	36¾	37¼	—
Gimbel Bros pf	1	101	101	101	—
Glidden Co	14	38¼	37¾	38¼	+¼
Glidden cv pf	1	53½	53½	53½	—
Goebel Brew	21	7	6¾	7	—
Goodall-Sanf	4	35¼	35	35¼	—
Goodrich (B F)	25	40¾	40¼	40¾	—
Goodrich (B F) pf	1	103	103	103	—
Goodyr T & R	13	61¾	61¼	61¾	—
Goodyr T&R pf	1	111¼	111¼	111¼	—
Gotham Hosiery	4	31¾	31½	31¾	—
Graham-P Mot	73	10	9¾	9¾	—
Granby Con M	26	6	5¾	6	—
Grand Union	4	27¾	27¼	27¾	—
Granite City Stl	14	19½	19½	19½	—
Grant (W T)	9	31	29¾	31	+1
Gt Nor Ir Ore ct	31	19	18¾	19	—
Gt Northn P pf	39	38¾	38¼	38¾	—
Gt West Sug	8	33¼	32¾	32¾	—1
Green (H L)	1	70¾	70¾	70¾	—
Greyhound Corp	49	28¼	27½	28¼	+¼
Grum Aircraft Eng	41	40¾	40¼	40¾	—
Guantan Sugar					
Gulf Mob & Ohio	18	25¼	25¼	25¼	—
Gulf Mob&O pf	2	42	42	42	—
Gulf Oil	27	58¾	57¾	58	—
Hack Water	1	35¾	35¾	35¾	—
Hall (WF) Prt	1	36	36	36	—
Hamil Watch	13	20	19½	20	—
Harb-Walker	12	26¾	26¾	26¾	—
Hart Sch & M	14	37¼	36¾	37¼	+¼
Hat Corp Am A	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	—
Hayes Indust	20	10¾	10¾	10¾	—
Hayes Mfg	26	10¾	10¾	10¾	—
Hecht Co	1	28¾	28¾	28¾	—1
Heinz (HJ)	84	34	33¾	34	—
Hewlit Rub	3	9	8¾	8¾	—
Hinde & D Pap	1	33¾	33¾	33¾	—
Hires (C E)	2	29¾	29¾	29¾	—
Holland Furn	3	37¾	37¾	37¾	—
Holly Sugar	2	29¾	29¾	29¾	—
Homestake Min	16	32¾	32	32¾	+¼
Household Fin	4	24¼	24¼	24¼	—
Household Fin pf	3	82½	82½	82½	—
Houston L & P	3	82	82	82	—
Houston Oil	15	17	16¾	17	+¼
Howe Sound	44	44¼	43¾	44¼	—
Hudson & Man	5	6¼	6¼	6¼	—
Hud & Man pf	2	18½	18½	18½	—1
Hud Nav Mach	31	31¼	31	31¼	—
Hudson Motor	22	20¾	20¼	20¾	—
Hupp Motor	20	6	6	6	—
Idaho Power	3	38¼	38	38	—
Illinois Central	16	36½	35¾	36½	—
Ill Central pf	2	67	67	67	—
Indpls Pow & L	20	29¾	29¾	29¾	—
Indus Rayon	6	55	55	55	—
Inger-Rand	2	131½	130¾	131½	+¾
Inland Steel	9	100	98½	100	+1¼
Inspirat Co Cop	20	13	14½	15	—
Interchem Corp	13	51¾	51¾	51¾	—
Intercon Rubber	18	9¾	9¼	9¾	—
Interlake Iron	52	12¾	12¾	12¾	—
Int Bus Mach	2	221	220	220	—1
Int Harvester	32	41¾	41¼	41¾	—
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The Weather
Today—Sunny and warm. Temperature rising to 80. Yesterday—High, 77; low, 43.

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Lewis Ends Coal Strike 'In Interest Of Public'

Orders Resumption Of Work Monday; Acts After Collapse Of Capital Parley

By Alfred Friendly
Post Staff Writer

Accompanied by a proclamation that he was acting "in the public interest," United Mine Workers President John L. Lewis yesterday called off the 26-day soft coal strike and ordered the miners to report back to work next Monday.

No explanation was given by Lewis for his surprising move, which followed the collapse on Monday of negotiations conducted by Labor Secretary Schwellenbach between the miners' chief and the soft coal operators.

The implication in a statement issued by K. C. Adams, mine workers editor and spokesman, was that since the Government had failed to settle the dispute, Lewis could and would end it by himself. Adams said:

"Obviously the Government has failed to settle the matter. Obviously the action (to call off the strike) is taken in the public interest."

1031 Mines Shut Down

In the course of the strike, concentrated in the Appalachian area, a total of 15 million tons of coal will have been lost before the mines reopen on Monday, the Solid Fuels Administration estimated. The Nation, which already had a 10-million-ton deficit before the strike began, will thus enter the winter with a 25-million-ton shortage. As of yesterday, 1031 mines were shut down.

On word of the back to work order, the SFA lifted, with immediate effect, its partial embargo on deliveries for the seven States affected. The SFA orders had prohibited mines from shipping coal to any but a limited number of users, such as hospitals and public utilities.

In announcing the end of the strike, Lewis informed district unions that negotiations had been suspended on the basic issue of the stoppage. He added, pointedly, that "future efforts to abate this controversy will be resumed at a later, more appropriate, date."

Issue Confined to Bargaining

The controversy had been confined to demands of a subsidiary organization of the UMW, comprised of foremen and supervisory employes, to be recognized as a collective bargaining agent. A case to determine the propriety of such an organization's being recognized in collective bargaining is pending before the National Labor Relations Board. A hearing on the case is scheduled here next Tuesday before the NLRB.

Promptly on the issuance of Lewis' decision, the coal operators' representatives hailed "the turn of events" and promised that no penalties would be assessed against the striking miners "despite the fact that we are under contract with the UMW to do so."

Labor Warfare Keeps 454,000 Off Their Jobs

By the Associated Press

More than 454,000 were away from work because of labor disputes yesterday. Major industries affected were:

PUBLIC UTILITIES—CIO strike threat may cut off gas, and electric service to two million Michigan consumers in 2000 communities; men to stop work today, union says.

SHIPPING — Leaders of rival AFL longshoremen's faction dispute number of dockhands returning to piers in port of New York; union president hopes to resume negotiations today with ship operators on new contract as walkout passes seventeenth daw with more than 400 ships tied up.

FOOD—AFL unions and milk companies agree to arbitrate wage-hour dispute that threatened 7,600,000 New York area residents with halt in milk deliveries; AFL drivers return to work in Gary, Ind., area.

MOTION PICTURES—Pickets continue sitdown tactics outside Warner Brothers' lot; police haul them to sidewalks; Eric Johnson, new industry leader, works on settlement of 32-week AFL controversy.

LUMBER—AFL leaders of 61,000 strikers say discussions to be resumed soon with big operating group; three Idaho locals withdraw from northwest area strike, to seek separate agreement; CIO continues campaign for higher pay for its 40,000 members.

COAL—In surprise move John L. Lewis orders 216,000 striking soft coal miners to resume work in six States Monday.

In the threatened Michigan util-

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Enterprise Arrives for Navy Day Celebration

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

AMONG FIRST TO REACH NEW YORK—The carrier Enterprise, one of the first major warships to arrive for Navy Day is aided by tugs to a berth in the North River just as the sun rises over New York's skyline. Navy blimp flies over the ship

10 Indicted For Misuse of Bank Funds

Virginia Legislator Among Those Named In Federal Charges

Richmond, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—The United States District Court's October grand jury today brought a 45-page indictment charging 10 persons, including two Virginia bankers and a Virginia legislator, with misapplication of funds under the Federal Reserve Act.

William Reeves Gardner, 44-year-old former vice president of the defunct Farmers and Merchants State Bank of Fredericksburg, now serving a 7-year term in the penitentiary, was charged on 20 counts with misapplication of funds. Gardner was sentenced by Judge Leon M. Bazile in Fredericksburg Circuit Court last June 22 after he had pleaded guilty to charges of larceny and embezzlement of $75,000 from the now liquidated bank.

For Aiding and Abetting

Nine others were charged in the Federal indictment with feloniously aiding and abetting Gardner in the misapplication of funds in one or more of the counts. Those charged, in addition to Gardner, are Delegate Joseph Edwin Proffit, of Floyd Courthouse, president of the Floyd County Bank; Clarence Leslie Robey, president of the National Bank of Purcellville, in Loudoun County; Hugh Namon Rakes, Virginia dairyman, and his wife, Lillian Conner Rakes; Paul Karsten, jr., of Fredericksburg, who was vice president of the bank with which Gardner was connected at Fredericksburg; Harry Lamson, Washington real estate man; Kyle Menefee Weeks, attorney and law partner of Delegate Proffit, at Floyd Courthouse; D. E. Nelson, retired real estate man living in Roanoke, and Joseph A. Sowers, cashier of the Floyd County Bank.

Investigated for Over Year

The true bill handed down by the grand jury climaxed more than a year of investigation by FBI agents. All of the offenses charged in the indictment are alleged to have taken place at the Planters' branch of the old Farmers and Merchants Bank.

The indictment charged Gardner, a former vice president of the bank, with "knowingly, unlawfully, willfully, and feloniously misapplying" funds amounting to $455,660. Divided into 20 counts, the indictment alleges in the first 18 counts that Gardner caused drafts to be issued on the Planters' branch, drawn on the Central National Bank of Richmond and payable to the Federal

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Pauley Urged Senators to Aid Tidelands Bill

Former Democratic Committee Officer Has Heavy Oil Stake

By Edward A. Harris

Edwin W. Pauley, American representative on the Allied Reparations Commission with the personal rank of ambassador, and former treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, personally urged three United States Senators last March to support the controversial legislation that would renounce all claim of the Federal Government to billions of dollars worth of oil in the Nation's tidelands, the Post-Dispatch learned yesterday.

Pauley has a heavy financial stake in California tidelands oil wells.

His activities in behalf of the multibillion-dollar tidelands bill were undertaken at a time when he was still committee treasurer. He was appointed reparations commissioner by President Truman on April 27, this year, and simultaneously resigned the committee post.

Submitted to Lessees

The Post-Dispatch disclosed Tuesday that the original resolution renouncing Federal rights to the tidelands was drafted by Attorney General Robert W. Kenny of California and his special assistant, William W. Clary, in consultation with other attorneys general and port authorities throughout the country.

It was submitted by Kenny's office to California tideland lessees, including oil companies, before being brought to Washington for introduction to Congress, where it was

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Test Suit to Be Taken To U. S. Supreme Court

The Department of Justice plans to drop its test suit to determine tidelands ownership, filed May 29 in United States District Court at Los Angeles, and to institute the action instead in the Supreme Court, with the State of California as defendant.

This strategy is being adopted to expedite final determination by the Supreme Court. Direct action in Washington also would serve to dramatize the race between the Department of Justice for judicial determination of tidelands ownership and Congress, where legislation is pending to renounce Federal rights to the lands.

Ships Reach Eastern Ports For Navy Day

New York, Oct. 17 (AP).—Mighty units of the Pacific Fleet which blockaded Japan and helped bring that nation to defeat steamed into New York Harbor today.

Ten battle-scarred warships, headed by the famous aircraft carrier Monterey, bearing flags which told in Navy code of its record of 500 Jap planes shot down, hundreds of other damaged, and at least five warships sunk, comprised the group.

They were the vanguard of 50 fighting ships which will be here October 27 to participate in the Navy Day celebration. President Truman will review the ships from a destroyer.

Close behind the Monterey came the carrier Enterprise—"Big E"—which fought in 18 of the major Pacific naval battles after the Japanese had reported her sunk.

Other Arriving Ships

Then came in succession the carrier Bataan, the heavy cruiser Portland and the destroyers Foote, Young, Zellers, Aulick, Douglas H. Fox and the Sterett.

Blimps and airplanes circled overhead, and PT torpedo boats leaped in and out of the line and zipped around the carriers.

Forty-three other warships will arrive here in the next few days to take part in the celebration. Among them will be the battleship Missouri, aboard which the Japanese signed the papers of surrender.

Three of those which arrived today, the Portland, Bataan and Sterett, will leave soon for celebrations in other ports.

Four hours after the Enterprise and Monterey docked, their crews had consumed 6500 containers of milk, 8000 doughnuts and 1500 gallons of coffee distributed by the Red Cross. That done, the men

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British Troops Rush to Quell Java Uprisings

Indonesian Extremists Kill Dutch Citizens And Terrorize Women

By Ralph Morton

Batavia, Java, Oct. 17 (AP).—British troops rushed to widely scattered areas of Java tonight after Indonesian extremists ran amok in one village, killing 15 persons including Dutch citizens, and other bands were reported terrorizing women internees in several localities.

The worst spots appeared to be at Depok, 20 miles from Batavia, where zealous followers of the nationalist movement shot to death or beheaded 15 Netherlanders and Christian Indonesians, and at Semarang, in central Java, where the Red Cross staff had been seized.

Troops Battle Rioters

The Indonesian extremists also had seized all Red Cross workers, internees and the entire staff of the organization for the relief of Allied prisoners of war at Awbarawa and Banjoebirce in central Java.

Three hundred British troops already had arrived at Depok, where Indian Ghurkas of the Twenty-third Division fought a pitched battle with about 800 rioters.

The British finally reported the situation in hand at Depok, but said the Indonesian band still was in the area and was heavily armed.

A British spokesman said patrols were being sent to Awbarawa and Banjoebirce as quickly as possible, and that troops would arrive at Semarang tomorrow.

Homes Destroyed

At Magelang, a few miles south of Semarang, hospitals were surrounded and guarded by young Indonesians with tommy guns. No fresh food was allowed to enter.

At Depok homes were destroyed

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Capital in Uproar

New Civilian Cabinet Faces General Strike in Argentina

Buenos Aires, Oct. 17 (AP).—A new civilian cabinet was formed today by Argentina's military government, but it immediately faced the threat of a general strike.

Followers of Col. Juan Peron, ousted ten days ago as Vice President, Minister of War and Secretary of Labor by the army, kept the capital city in an uproar today as they roamed the streets shouting for Peron. One was injured when police fired tear gas bombs.

The General Confederation of Workers, Argentina's major labor organization, with a membership estimated at 1,500,000, called for a 24-hour general strike starting at 12:01 a. m. tomorrow. The confederation includes members of the railroad union, tramways union, commerce employes, construction workers, waiters, telephone employes and meat handlers.

Confederation leaders said the nation-wide strike was called to protest against "any government of oligarchs" and against the delivery of the government to the supreme court," as has been demanded by the conservative element in Argentina.

There was evidence, however, that not all of labor was behind the strike call.

Leaders of the textile union protested against the demonstrations of the Peron followers and charged they had forced workers "by threats backed by firearms" to leave their work.

The Buenos Aires Typographical Union also asked its members to ignore the general strike call, which it said emanated from "Nazi-Fascist reactionaries." Other independent union leaders also expressed disapproval.

Confederation leaders said the strikers would stage a mass parade and demonstration in Buenos Aires tomorrow.

Only two days ago the confederation had called for the routing out of the Nazi-Fascist influence in the government, but it appeared the delay in forming the new cabinet had given Peron followers time to organize demonstrations in his favor and to swing over a majority of the executive committee of the confederation.

Furthermore, those named to the new cabinet are either outright conseravtives or members of the Centrist Party. Labor has expressed concern that any new government might cancel the gains in wages and working hours granted by Peron during his 18 months in power.

The new cabinet was formed by Attorney General Alvarez, who will be minister of interior, charged with maintaining order. Isidoro Ruiz Moreno was named foreign minister.

Finance Minister is Alberto Hueyo. The other members are Edmundo Sustaita, Minister of Aeronautics; Jorge Figueroa Alcorta, Minister of Justice and Public Education; Tomas Amadeo, Minister of Agriculture; Juan Fentanes, Minister of Labor and So-

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Puzzling Ocean Hops

Only Gromyko, Red Embassy Know Purpose of Secret Visit

By the Associated Press

Soviet Ambassador Gromyko's in-and-out visit here Monday stirred a rash of speculation yesterday, but apparently only Gromyko and Moscow knew the reason for the transatlantic commuting.

The confusion started when Press Secretary Charles G. Ross told White House reporters that Gromyko had not seen President Truman during his quick visit but had talked to Secretary of State Byrnes.

But Byrnes told his news conference that he had not learned of Gromyko's visit until five minutes previously and had telephoned Ross that he had not seen the Soviet Ambassador.

"We were misinformed," was Ross' explanation when reporters checked him again.

The Soviet Embassy kept its own counsel, as usual. All a spokesman would say was that Gromyko arrived from London, saw his family and the Embassy staff, and departed for London less than 24 hours later.

This Embassy official added that he did not know the purpose of Gromyko's flying round trip. It had not been expected until his arrival, he said, that the Ambassador would be able to leave his duties as Soviet representative on the United Nations interim commission in London for some time.

The spokesman said he hoped Gromyko would soon be able to return to his post in Washington.

New Crisis Likely

Russia Insists on Allied Board To Control Japan, Byrnes Says

By John M. Hightower
Associated Press Staff Writer

Conflicts between the United States and Russia over Balkan governments and Japan are approaching a new period of crisis.

The outcome of the conflicts is considered certain to have a vital influence on the future of American-Soviet relations.

In respect to Japan, Byrnes disclosed that Russia is standing pat on its demand that an Allied control council should take over supreme authority there from Gen. Douglas MacArthur. As a result, it is possible that Russia will refuse to send a representative to the first meeting of the American-sponsored Far Eastern Advisory Commission here next Tuesday.

On Balkan conflicts, the central problem is whether the United States—and England too—will recognize Soviet-supported governments in Romania and Bulgaria, which they have thus far declined to do.

A special investigator for Byrnes, Publisher Mark Ethridge of Louisville, Ky., was scheduled to leave overnight for those two countries to investigate the extent of political freedom existing there. Ethridge was especially chosen by Byrnes as a trained and impartial investigator.

Unless conditions in the Balkans change abruptly, Ethridge is likely to find political "front" governments efficiently controlled by local Communists and denying very wide freedom of political opposition. American officials say they will be willing to recognize Communist government of any variety in Romania and Bulgaria so long as they are convinced that those governments have the support of the people.

Byrnes told his news conference that he wanted Ethridge to look into questions of laws bearing on democratic rights for the people.

The question of the Far Eastern Advisory Commission came up when Byrnes was asked whether Russia had accepted the bid to the meeting on October 23. He said the Russians had simply advised him that a control council should be set up before any sort of advisory commission went into operation. Despite this firm stand on Russia's part, Byrnes said he still hoped that they would send a delegate to the October 23 session.

The advisory commission would include the United States, Britain, Russia and China as well as six smaller nations which fought the Pacific war. There appears to be

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Diplomatic 'Miracle' Urged

Congress Told One Atom Raid Could Kill 40 Million in Night

By the Associated Press

Congress was told yesterday that 40 million Americans could be killed in one overnight raid if there is "one false move in international diplomacy."

Dr. H. J. Curtis, one of the men who helped make the atom bomb, called for a "miracle" in international relations to prevent a "war too horrible to contemplate." He said the impelling motives for a miraculous improvement in diplomacy "should be just as strong as those which moved up to create the atomic bomb."

Dr. Curtis testified at a joint Senate Military-Commerce Subcommittee hearing on behalf of the Association of Oak Ridge Scientists. The hearings are of a proposed national science foundation to explore the atom and other scientific developments.

Another witness, Dr. J. R. Oppenheimer of the New Mexico atomic laboratories, testified "I am afraid it is" when asked if it was true that a single night's raid on America could kill 40 million persons in congested cities.

Curtis predicted that the scientists' suggestion for international control might be scoffed at as visionary.

"In reply," he said, "I will simply state that the possibility of developing atomic energy was also so labeled a scant six years ago, and yet today it is a reality.

"We can see no reason why a similar miracle cannot be achieved in international relations."

Even "total destruction of civilization as we know it" was given as a possible alternative to keeping the peace.

"We regret that the atomic age began, of necessity, with hideous destruction," Dr. Curtis said. "Our only consolation is that it helped to achieve a peace which must now be maintained."

"We have concluded," he went on, "that the best interests of this country will be served by turning over control of atomic energy to an international authority whose function will be to so regulate the development of atomic energy that the atomic bomb will be used only by a world authority if necessary for the enforcement of peace."

President Truman talked at the White House with legislative leaders during the day about the future use and control of atomic bomb energy.

Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader, told reporters afterward that he expects Senate approval tomorrow of a special

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Message Due Tuesday

Truman Will Ask Congress For Modified Military Training

By Robert C. Albright
Post Staff Writer

The Administration yesterday took up the cudgels for two basic reforms in postwar military policy.

1. President Truman disclosed through his leaders that he will ask Congress next week for a modified program of universal military training.

2. Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson recommended before the Senate Military Committee a single department of national defense, with coordinated air, ground and naval arms.

The President's decision to address Congress next Tuesday on the controversial postwar military training issue, followed advice from some leaders that the subject has been "badly sold."

Following a White House conference, Speaker Sam Rayburn told newsmen he believed the President "will recommend some kind of training program, but I do not know what form it will take."

Neither Rayburn nor Senate Majority Leader Alben W. Barkley (D., Ky.) who participated in the White House talks, thought that the President would deal with unifying the armed forces in his message, though he is known to favor an Army-Navy merger.

Only last week Gen. George C.

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State Also Authorizes Real Estate Levy Slash

Reduction Brings Rate on Property Down to Lowest Point Since 1861

Baltimore, Oct. 17 (AP).—Governor O'Conor announced today a 50 per cent reduction in Maryland income tax for individual taxpayers and a decrease to 10 cents per $100 valuation on the State property tax, compared with 11 cents at present.

The tax reductions were authorized at a meeting of the Board of Public Works at which reports by State fiscal officers, covering several weeks, were considered.

The action increases the allowable deduction on income tax returns from 33 1-3 per cent to 50 per cent, and it was estimated this would amount to a $1,141,000 saving for individual taxpayers.

The real estate reduction brings the State rate to the lowest point since 1861. The reduction will represent a saving of $284,000 next year to property owners, the Governor said.

The reduction of $1,425,000 announced today brings to $6,533,000 the saving in income tax and real estate tax payments for the calendar year 1945, O'Conor said.

A one third reduction in income taxes effected at the last session of the General assembly cut the State tax burden $2,571,000, and in addition the State real property taxes were cut from 12 to 11 cents, representing a saving of $284,000.

The Governor said that a total of $24,092,000 had been saved taxpayers since 1939 as a result of reductions in income and State real estate levies.

A move to initiate the cuts announced today was inaugurated last month when arrangements were made for a survey of State revenues and a check was instituted on estimated savings by departments and agencies from current budgetary appropriations.

Court Orders Sheriff to Whip Wife-Beater

Lloyd O. Bushing, 30, of Dillon Park, Md., was sentenced yesterday in Prince Georges Circuit Court to receive 10 lashes, a seldom used Maryland penalty for wife beaters.

The man was convicted by a jury of "brutal assault" on his wife, Dorothy, at their home, 5208 H st., June 30. Judge Charles C. Marbury, in passing sentence, said he ordered the lashes rather than a jail sentence so that the family would not be deprived of Bushing's support.

Judge Marbury jointed out that the law provides for a 12 months jail sentence or up to 40 lashes. He said he could not let Bushing go unpunished because testimony of neighbors revealed that this was one of a series of beatings. Neither Bushing or his wife took the stand.

The sentence will be administered by County Sheriff R. Earle Sheriff or one of his deputies in the County Jail at Marlboro. The justice expressed the hope that the sheriff would carry out the sentence in private. This is not intended to be a "Roman holiday," he said.

The law does not provide for the type of lash to be used, the judge said.

Testimony of neighbors revealed that Bushing and his wife had returned to their home after visiting with friends when the beating took place. Police testified that bloodstains were found about the house. Neighbors testified that Mrs. Bushing had several front teeth knocked out.

In 1941 a Bradbury Heights man was sentenced to six lashes for wife beating after conviction in County Trial Magistrates Court. He appealed and the case was nolle-prossed after study of the law showed that the trial magistrate had no authority to order this penalty.

Dutch Condemn Traitor

The Hague, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—One of the outstanding Dutch traitors, Dr. R. van Genechten, in charge of education in Holland during part of its occupation by the Germans, was sentenced to death today by a special tribunal, the Aneta News Agency reported.

Seek 1% of Salaries

Truman Urges U. S. Workers To Put Fund Drive Over the Top

President Truman took a personal hand in Washington's War Fund drive yesterday.

He asked all department heads to urge Government workers to make a concerted effort to put the drive over.

At the same time, to step up lagging Government workers' contributions, war fund officials set as their goal 1 per cent of the annual salaries of all workers.

Under the new "yardstick" for measuring the size of the gifts donors should make, it was pointed out that 1 per cent of an average annual salary of $1800 would cost the worker $1.50 a month; an average salary of $2300, approximately $1.92 a month, and a $3200 a year employe would pay $2.67 a month.

Total Government service returns up to yesterday showed that only $900,625 had been pledged—or 41.6 per cent of the Government quota. In establishing the new scale for gifts, fund officials felt, rested Washington's best chances to reach the $4,700,000 goal by Tuesday, end of the drive.

In his directive to Cabinet members and independent agency heads, the Chief Executive bluntly said:

"I ask the members of the Cabinet and heads of the independent establishments in the Federal and District Governments to do their utmost personally to hasten the coverage of their departments . . . and to explain to their employes the real necessity for obtaining

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Area Servicemen Due From Overseas

Seek More Pay

Truck Men Take Vote On Walkout

Members of Local 639, Teamsters International Union (AFL), were expected to vote overwhelmingly in favor of a strike in balloting conducted by the National Labor Relations Board late yesterday.

Officials declined to predict, however, whether a favorable vote would actually result in a work stoppage. The union last week held its own vote and unanimously agreed to strike but failed to set a date for a walkout.

A. W. Stream, the union president, expressed the opinion a few days later that a work stoppage might be averted.

The union is seeking a wage boost and improved working conditions. The organization serves 15 of the 16 major freight delivery concerns in the District.

MILITARY

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Marshall. Army Chief of Staff strongly urged a peacetime training program that would supply four million trained men in an emergency. Today Marshall will go before the Senate Military committee to back up Patterson's call for a single department of National defense.

Congress has been reluctant to tackle the touchy universal training issue and the President may go in for a personal selling job in his message to Congress next week. He is said to have formulated a modified program, possibly linking training with vocational courses, and refurbishing the college R. O. T. C. program.

The Army has taken the lead in advocating a single department of national defense, with the Navy in the past reluctant to go along. Navy witnesses are expected to be called by the Senate Military group next week.

Implying World War II would have ended sooner under a unified command, Secretary of War Patterson told the Senate group yesterday a combined Army and Navy would have saved "billions of dollars, lives and material."

He urged an early merger for reasons of closely integrated military strategy, economy, efficiency and general organizational preparedness, stressing the role of research and development under a unified command.

"The advent of the atomic bomb, which has so closely stirred the imagination of everyone, forcefully impressed on all of us the necessity for a vigorous, well-directed program for the development of new weapons and of means for defending against them," Patterson told the committee.

"A form of organization that was suited to horse-drawn transport, to sailing vessels, and to fire-power with a two-mile range must be adjusted to the conditions that these weapons present."

Patterson suggested these "basic elements" in any War-Navy merger:

1. A single department, with a Cabinet rank civilian at its head, comprising all services now separately included in the two departments.

2. A civilian undersecretary and assistant secretaries, with authority over scientific research and development of military weapons, procurement and planning for industrial mobilization, handling of legislative matters affecting national security, public relations and information.

3. A chief of staff of the armed forces, as chief military adviser of the secretary.

4. Three major coordinate branches; the air, the ground, and the Naval forces to include the Marine Corps and the fleet air arm, "each with the maximum autonomy consonant with efficient and economic operation."

STRIKES

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ity strike originally set for yesterday, the chairman of the CIO State Utility Workers Council said the walkout would take place "in all probability not later than Thursday" in Consumers Power Co. plants.

A special mediation board appointed by the Michigan Governor submitted the proposal for ending the dispute involving wage increase demands. The Governor promised to take "necessary steps" to continue utility service.

The stxent of the back-to-work activity in the New York AFL longshoremen's strike that tied up more than 400 ships was disputed by rival factions of the union.

Joseph Ryan, union president, said 7736 men returned to their jobs yesterday, 1200 more than on Tuesday, and declared "the situation has improved immeasurably." William E. Warren, insurgent leader, argued there were fewer at work than on Tuesday and "the strike is as solid as when it started," 17 days ago.

The dispute hinges on union demands for a contract provision standardizing the weight of cargo net loads.

In the Hollywood motion picture industry dispute, pickets resumed sitdown tactics and law officers hauled dozens from the Warner Brothers studio driveway.

Eric Johnston, new industry spokesmen conferred with union leaders in hope of settling the dispute between two AFL unions over collective bargaining representation of 77 set decorators and reinstatement of all strikers.

In Portland, Oreg., a spokesman for 61,000 striking AFL lumber and sawmill workers said preliminary discussions with the Willamette Valley Operators' Association would be resumed soon on the union's demand for a $1.10 hourly minimum.

A union business agent said three Idaho locals had withdrawn from the strike and would reach separate wage agreements. Talks on a 25-cent hourly increase continued between the CIO woodworkers, with 40,000 members, and the big fir industry group of operators.

Ships Bring Troops From Pacific and European Theaters

These names were telegraphed directly to The Washington Post by the Associated Press. There is no assurance that the list is correct, because it was compiled in Europe previous to embarkation, but officials said that the margin of error is slight. Relatives should not contact the port or The Washington Post for further information.

New York City, Oct. 17.—Arrivals aboard the Marine Wolf, due here today, are scheduled to include:

WASHINGTON

Cummings, T/4 John R.
King, Capt. Robert M., 3819 Kanawah st.
Burnett, T/5 Russell.
Darby, T/5 William.
Lytle, T/5 Joseph.
Mackall, T/5 Francis A.
Mann, T/5 Louis.
Scott, T/5 Thomas.
Terry, T/5 Arthur.
Butler, Pfc. Leon F.
Ohee, Pfc. George.
Gleston, Pfc. William L.
Gregory, Pfc. William J.
Marshall, Pfc. James W.
Green, Pfc. James F.
Gray, T/3 Henry C.

MARYLAND

Rexrode, T/4 Charles, Grantville.
Mowbray, Sergt. Watson E., Barton.
Wildberger, Corpl. Charles R., Harborview.
Cooksey, S/Sergt. Joseph L., Indian Head.
Nooken, S/Sergt. Earl L., Westernport.
Talley, Corpl. Roland M., Daleville.
Campbell, T/5 James E., Glen Arns.
Cornish, T/5 James E., Cambridge.
Dorsey, Pfc. Elsworth F., Gaithersburg.
Wright, T/5 Norman E., Glenburnie.
King, Pfc. James R., Odenton.
Fau, Pfc. Frederick A., Essex.
Weisel, Pvt. Leon D., Union Bridge.
Mease, Corpl. Leo M., Cumberland.
Lawson, Pfc. John A., Springfield.
Willing, T/4 Ralph, Salisbury.
LaGratta, Pfc. Frank, Cumberland.
Hobson, Pvt. Edwin F. Paramsville.
Cardoro, Pvt. Tommy V., Kitsmiller.
Linton, Pvt. Irvin C., Mount Airy.

VIRGINIA

Reynolds, Pfc. Clyde, Richmond.
Bowden, Corpl. John N., Cape Charles.
Dorton, Corpl. Glen O., Big Stone Gap.
Smith, Corpl. John A., jr., Appomattox.
Korn, Pfc. Garland, Moon.
Sheally, S/Sergt. William R., Williamsburg.
Shenk, Pfc. Clement N., Harrisonburg.
Gillenwater, M/Sergt. Kenneth, Inman.
Mitchell, 1/Sergt. John, jr., Greenfield.
Mahanes, S/Sergt. Cesar T., Charlottesville.
Maness, T/3 Charles E., Gretna.
Whitehurst, T/5 Henry M., Norfolk.
Barnett, Pfc. Earl, Imboden.
Hoage, Pfc. Eugene F., Sandston.
Maneymaker, Pfc. Charles A., Exmont.
Sawyers, T/4 Glenn A., Star Route Oldtown.
Randolph, T/4 Leroy, Cape Charles.
Barnes, Pfc. Edgar, Norfolk.
Carter, Pfc. Norman E., Hamilton.
Ferrell, Pfc. Rudolph, Hampton.
Archer, Pvt. James, Richmond.
Brown, Pvt. William L., Mattox.
Butler, Pvt. Raymond C., Richmond.
Nightingale, Pvt. Ramson C., Richmond.
Cannen, S/Sergt. Roy F., Abingdon.
Pitts, Sergt. Philpt L., Danville.
Fadel, T/4 Lloyd E., St. Petersburg.
Hall, Corpl. John F., Richmond.
Boyd, Pfc. Charlie A., Murphy.
Shifflett, Pfc. Wilma, Swift Run.
Bawey, T/Sergt. Harry B., Staunton.
Hodges, Capt. Jesse W., Lynchburg.
Thomas, T/Sergt. William, Max Meadows.
Hall, T/4 Walter A., Rastburg.
Hoover, T/5 Louis A., Winchester.
Prillaman, T/5 Nelson, Snydersville.
Boyd, Pfc. Arthur O., Patrick.

On Joseph Dickman

San Francisco, Oct. 17 (AP).—Men aboard the Joseph Dickman scheduled to arrive here yesterday, were due to include:

WASHINGTON

Genther, Corpl. Edwin F.

VIRGINIA

Artman, Maj. Ralph T., Suffolk.
Goodpaster, Capt. John A., Bristol.
Dotson, M/Sergt. Daniel W., Pound.
Smith, S/Sergt. George W., Bridgewater.
Gordon, Sergt. Louis B., Petersburg.
Rudder, Sergt. Ralph, St. Paul.
Paul, Corpl. James J. jr., Norfolk.
Hill, Corpl. Roy C., Marion.

MARYLAND

Alexander, Sergt. Riley E., Columbia.
Green, Sergt. Joseph C., Mount Savage.
Lape, Corpl. Ralph, Chaffee.

New York, Oct. 17.—Arrivals aboard the Santa Marta, due here tomorrow, are scheduled to include:

WASHINGTON

Dowell, First Lieut. Alvis Y.
Gordeau, Sergt. Roscoe S.

VIRGINIA

Griffith, T/Sergt. Clifford, Martinsville.
Grain, Pfc. James W., Surry.
Whitting, Pfc. John N., jr., Ivy.
Crowder, First Lieut. William E., Petersburg.
Pinn, S/Sergt. Roland B., Lynchburg.
Robinson, S/Sergt. Frank A., Falls Church.
Haley, T/5 Ryland T., Danville.
Carr, Pfc. Elmer C., Red Ash.
Collins, Pfc. William H., Hopewell.
Daniels, Pfc. Theodore, Chatham.
Lichiltar, Pfc. Glenn R., Strasburg.
Moore, Pfc. Jack, S. W., Roanoke.

Aboard Zona Gale

New York, Oct. 17.—Arrivals aboard the Zona Gale, due here today, are scheduled to include:

VIRGINIA

Garrison, Pfc. Robert E., Newport News.
Holly, Pfc. Brady, Martinsville.

On Marine Victory

New York, Oct. 17.—Arrivals aboard the Marine Victory, due here today, are scheduled to include:

MARYLAND

Duty, S/Sergt. David L., Fort Meade.
Ray, T/4 Thomas L., Catonsville.
Holloway, Pfc. William L., Richestown, Magruder, Pfc., Harry W., Rockville.
Lloyd, Pvt. Forrest R., Fort Meade.

New York, Oct. 17.—Arrivals aboard the Norway Victory, due here today, are scheduled to include:

WASHINGTON

Wertz, Capt. Fred J.
Swann, T/4 Harry W.
Nanes, Corpl. Philip S.
Lamm, Pfc. Walter J.
Kirby, Pvt. John C.

Virginia

Redmiles, T/4 John M., Alexandria.
Elison, Pvt. Harry W., Bluefield.
Hamilton, Pvt. Charles M., Conway.
Coville, Capt. Perkins, Arlington.
Moore, T/Sergt. Malcolm, Leesburg.
Lipscomb, T/4 John R., Richmond.
Logan, T/4 Green, Richmond.
Carpenter, Cpl. Marvin, Richmond.
Odenhall, Cpl. Ethan A., jr., Norfolk.
Patterson, Cpl. Gilbert F., Bedford.
Watson, Cpl. James H., South Hill.
Anderson, T/5 Thomas, Richmond.
Weatherford, T/5 Larry C., Schoolfield.
Alger, Pfc. Patrick H., Luray.
Stroud, Pfc. Noah, Covington.
Gormus, Pvt. Joseph C., Richmond.
Spangler, Pvt. Minor I., Roanoke.
Kemp, Pvt. Thomas W., Gloucester.
Brookes, Lieut. Col. Sythe F., West Point.
McNeece, T/5 Doyle A., Alexandria.
Van Petten, Second Lieut. Oliver W., Charlottesville.

Captain Rounds Returns

Capt. William C. Rounds, son of Col. and Mrs. William A. Rounds, 3416 Rodman st. nw., has arrived in Boston from the European theater, his parents have been informed. A veteran of 3½ years combat with the First Division in Africa, Sicily and France, he wears six battle stars, the bronze arrowhead and two personal citations for bravery in action, the Bronze Star and the Silver Star.

Sheriff Gets Her Man

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

NO HOLDS BARRED—Deputy Sheriff Clemmia A. Hurst (right) of Lee County, Ky., boards a bus at Pontiac, Mich., with her captive Raney Allen, wanted on a murder charge at Beattyville, Ky. Allen is 4½ feet tall and weighs 100 pounds

OIL

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finally incorporated by the House Judiciary Committee into Joint Resolution 225.

It also was revealed that Clary's fee for codrafting the measure will be derived partly from the State of California and partly from the tidelands lessees, according to financial arrangements corroborated by Attorney General Kenny.

Would Nullify Test Suit

The pending legislation would nullify a test suit filed by the Department of Justice last May 29 in Los Angeles for judicial determination of the legal ownership of tidelands, believed to contain the country's greatest unexploited petroleum fields, worth billions of dollars. For many years private oil operators have been drilling in these tidelands under leases from the States, which always have claimed title to the lands.

Questioned about his part in supporting the pending legislation, Pauley told the Post-Dispatch quite frankly that he had introduced Clary to three Senators before his appointment to the Reparations Commission. It was his recollection that he had already resigned as committee treasurer, but he was not certain of the dates. The records of the National Committee show that his appointment to the commission and resignation as committee treasurer were simultaneous.

Declines to Name Senators

Pauley said he took Clary with him to the Senate secretary's office probably in March, and there introduced him to the three Senators, whom he declined to name. Pauley said both he and Clary presented their reasons for wanting the pending quitclaim legislation passed. Clary, he went on, did most of the talking, pointing out that the question of tidelands ownership had been determined by the courts "over 50 times" in favor of the States, and that the States and their tideland lessees, including oil firms, were tired of "harrassment."

"If the test suit goes to the United States Supreme Court," said Pauley, "I have no doubt whatever that the States' ownership of tidelands would be upheld. But I did want to let some of the Senators and Congressmen know our views, in connection with the legislation."

University's Plight a Factor

At this point Pauley was interrupted by the reporter and informed that one of the Senators to whom he talked had said Pauley spoke at some length about the plight the University of California would be in if the Federal Government won title to the tidelands and the State of California were deprived of tidelands royalties. The argument was that a depleted State treasury would mean less of a grant to the university, of which Pauley is a trustee.

"That's true," Pauley conceded. "I did make that argument about the university, but I pointed out at the same time I didn't want to be appearing in false colors, and that I did have heavy financial investments in the tidelands through my Petrol Oil Corporation of California.

"But I also made clear that despite this personal financial interest, I felt that the States were wholly right in their position, that they had been upheld in court rulings many times, and that the Justice Department suit cast a cloud over all the tideland titles without justification."

"What did you do on the House side?" Pauley was asked.

Gave Letter of Introduction

"It's my recollection that I gave Clary a letter of introduction to Speaker Sam Rayburn, and I believe Clary subsequently talked to the Speaker about the legislation. I may also have telephoned to Mr. Rayburn, I'm not sure."

"Did you talk over the matter with Representative Hatton Sumners, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee that later reported the bill out favorably?"

"Yes, I believe I personally introduced Clary to Sumners," Pauley replied.

Clary, reached by telephone in Los Angeles, told the Post-Dispatch that he recalled being introduced to the three Senators by Pauley last March, and said this was about the time he was presenting the legislation to various Representatives and to Senator Pat McCarran (D., Nev.) for introduction.

In this connection McCarran told the writer he did not remember offhand who gave him the quitclaim resolution to be introduced in the Senate, but if Kenny and Clary said Clary had given it to him, he guessed it was so. It was duly introduced by him and became S. R. 48. This measure, as well as Joint Resolution 225, passed by the House September 20 and virtually identical to the Senate bill, is pending at present in the Senate Judiciary Committee, of which McCarran is chairman. McCarran also named himself chairman of a subcommittee that plans to hold hearings on the bills soon.

Also Withholds Names

Clary also declined to disclose the names of the three Senators, saying these matters were "foreign to the merits of the case" and should not be dragged into it at all.

Asked what he did on the House side in connection with Pauley, Clary replied: "I talked to a whole lot of people. I went to see Speaker Rayburn—saw him two or three times, in fact—but Pauley didn't arrange that as far as I can remember."

"Did Pauley arrange for you to see Sumners?" he was asked.

"No; I went to see him myself. I talked to him and to many other members of the House Judiciary Committee. I told him what the bill we wanted passed was about, and showed him a preliminary draft of a brief in support of the measure signed by 46 of the Nation's State attorneys general."

Kenny told the reporter that he originally sent Clary to see Pauley for assistance in gathering support for the bill because Pauley is an important tidelands lessee of the State of California, and as such deserved to be consulted on legislation affecting those lessees. Clary made the point that whatever he did on the Hill was done at Kenny's direction and in his behalf, as well as other attorneys general throughout the country.

Rayburn Is Questioned

Speaker Rayburn, asked by the writer if he recalled being telephoned by Pauley in connection with the legislation, or having received a letter of introduction from Clary signed by Pauley, did not reply directly at first.

"No one has to come to see me about my position on the title to the tidelands," he said. "That land and the resources beneath it have always belonged to the States. I've felt that way for many years. It is Congress' clear duty to clear title to these lands for the States; not the Supreme Court's responsibility but that of Congress, which fixes policy. And Congress is settling the matter once and for all."

"We're simply trying to get all the facts," Rayburn was told by the reporter at this point. "I'd like to ask you again if Pauley talked it over with you to present his viewpoint, or sent Clary to see you with a letter of introduction?"

"If Pauley or Clary or anyone else had come to see me," he answered, "they would only have told me things I've known and stood for a long time. It hasn't anything to do with the situation. No one has to high-pressure me on my viewpoint."

When the same question was repeated a third time, the Speaker finally said that he did not "recollect" that Pauley or Clary had talked to him about the matter, then adding: "They did not."

Asks Not To Be Quoted

At the end of the interview Rayburn said he did not want to be quoted. Since there had been no "off-the-record" pledge during the interview, the reporter refrained from making any such agreement at the close of the interview, explaining that the Post-Dispatch was anxious to get all the facts.

Next, Hatton Sumners was asked whether Pauley or Clary had spoken to him about the quitclaim legislation. He at first flared up wrathfully, demanding "What are you driving at?" but on being told that the newspaper was driving at the plain facts, calmed down and proceeded to explain why he thought the States were right in the controversy. After he had delivered himself of a long and able States' rights argument, pointing out along the way that the original 13 States formed the Union and not vice versa, he was again asked the original question.

"I may have seen Mr. Clary down at the hearings," he responded. "I wouldn't know. I've talked to a lot of people about the matter and can't say who each one was. But all that's beside the point. The issue is clear-cut; and the Congress is only establishing what is already a fact—the States' title to the tidelands."

Sumners' Judiciary Committee held open hearings on the legislation June 18-20, inclusive, and the hearings also were attended by the Senate Judiciary Subcommittee. Members of the latter committee, in addition to McCarran as chairman, are Senators James O. Eastland (D., Miss.), Albert B. Chandler (D., Ky.), Kenneth S. Wherry (R., Nebr.), and H. Alexander Smith (R., N. J.).

Mikado Grants Amnesty to Million Japs

Tokyo, Oct. 17 (AP).—The Japanese nation took four important steps toward democracy today.

1. Emperor Hirohito granted amnesty to nearly one million Japanese as an openly avowed move to unite the country "in meeting a great change in history."

2. Four major Japanese industrial holding companies, Mitsui, Mitsubishi, Sumitomo and Yasuda, decided to offer all their shares for sale to the public, the newspaper Yomiuri Hochi said.

3. The Japanese cabinet, in further compliance with General MacArthur's directive for freedom of thought and speech in Japan, decided to repeal the religious organizations law established as a wartime control, Domei news agency reported.

Frees Movie Industry

4. General MacArthur issued a directive freeing the Japanese motion picture industry from all government domination to allow it to "reflect the democratic aspirations of the Japanese people."

Action of Japan's four great industrial companies—with their tight grip on the nation's economic and political life already an avowed target of United States occupation policy—is "not enough," Yomiuri Hochi said, advocating state ownership as the only solution for this problem.

Similarly "meeting a great change in history," Emperor Hirohito in an imperial rescript today restored voting rights to nearly one million Japanese. Some 320,000 who had been imprisoned or under police surveillance were pardoned; sentences of 37,000 others were reduced and civil rights restored to both groups as well as to 600,000 others who had lost them—provided they had lost their rights at least five years prior to September 2, 1946.

The amnesty rescripts affected principally political prisoners, whose freedom General MacArthur had decreed.

Japan's new cabinet, in a matching step toward freedom of thought and speech, decided to repeal the wartime religious organization's law which had provided close government scrutiny of all religious orders. It also approved elimination of the cabinet board of information, reduction of government employes from 300,000 to 150,000 and elimination of the wartime labor service (forced-labor) bureau.

General Arrested

U. S. Eighth Army Headquarters, meanwhile, reported the arrest of Lieut. Gen. Shigeru Sawada, charged with complicity in the executions of some of the Doolittle fliers who raided Tokyo, April 18, 1942.

Other headquarters reports disclosed recovery of buried fortunes in diamonds, platinum, gold and silver cached by Japanese admirals and generals, and said that U. S. Marines have taken control of labor-rioting coal mining camps near Hakata, where at least two Chinese workers were killed.

American authorities disclosed that Japanese agents in Tokyo illegally had searched the pre-war diplomatic pouches of the American Embassy.

Nearly 2500 Japanese army and navy personnel arrived today from long-isolated Marcus Island.

In Chungking, Chinese cabinet spokesman P. H. Chang said today that 850,000 of the 1,100,000 Japanese effectives in China already had been disarmed. Disarmament in the Japanese home islands already is complete, MacArthur has announced.

FUND

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the funds to keep the various welfare and service organizations going successfully for another year.

"This will call for immediate measures on the part of department heads to speed up the campaign."

Lee D. Butler, chairman of the drive, said the picture yesterday "did not look good—and tomorrow's progress report will be disappointing."

The principal stumbling block in the drive's success is the "Government worker. We expect that institutional donors and other divisions will meet their quota."

"If we can convince the Government worker that the problem is just as urgent today as it was during the war years then we'll make the grade.

"Many think that the end of war ended the city's need. But they are dead wrong. And it will be brought home to them pretty strongly if the drive fails."

In adopting the new giving scale for the balance of the drive, fund officials further hope to make up the deficiencies caused by the failure to give on the part of "job-worried" workers.

"Furthermore, we're asking for pledges now—not money. If a man loses his job or transfers to a new one his pledge can go with him."

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no question about attendance of any country other than Russia.

The Russians argue that they were perfectly satisfied to have a supreme commander in charge at Tokyo so long as problems were of a military nature. But they contend that now questions are political, economic and financial and that all the victorious powers should have a direct hand in running Japanese affairs.

Byrnes, on the other hand, feels that Japanese affairs are primarily for control of the United States because it did most of the Pacific fighting.

British Trying U-Boat Quintet For War Crimes

Hamburg, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Five of the crew of a Nazi U-boat went on trial before a British military court today, charged with violating the rules of warfare by attempting to wipe out all survivors of the torpedoed Greek ship Peleus in the south Atlantic last year.

It was the first war criminals trial of ruthless submarine crews, whose one-time commander, Adm. Karl Doenitz, also is to be tried along with other top Nazis at Nuernberg.

The prosecution completed its case by mid-afternoon and the court adjourned until tomorrow, despite a defense plea for a three-day recess in order to enable high German naval officers to testify that the survivors had to be wiped out to prevent them from giving word of the location of the submarine, U-852, which had "an urgent operational rendezvous in the Indian Ocean."

The men on trial are: The skipper, a Lieutenant Eck, who was quoted as telling his men to "kill, kill, kill;" Lieut. Hoffman; Navy Physician Weisspfennig; Lieutenant Lenz; and Seam, 1/c Schwender.

A procession of witnesses and statements read in court revealed that the survivors of the Peleus, a 4695-ton vessel manned by a British crew, were machine-gunned and blasted by grenades as they clung helplessly to rafts during a March night of 1944. The rampaging submarine also attempted to run them down.

Admission that such orders were issued was read in court from a statement made by Lieutenant Lenz while he was a war prisoner in London.

Woman Admits Cruelty

Lueneberg, Germany, Oct. 17 (AP). Blonde Irma Grese said today she asked to be assigned to the Belsen concentration camp because of a "private affair" with an SS officer there, and admitted that she lashed women prisoners with a whip and walking stick in violation of orders by the camp commandant.

"I may have been a frightened, 18-year-old girl when I entered the concentration camp service, but I soon grew up," the 22-year-old SS woman guard said during cross examination by Prosecutor T. M. Backhouse.

Miss Grees is one of 45 defendants on trial for war crimes at the Belsen and Oswiecim concentration camps.

Snapping her replies under Backhouse's barrage of questions, she vigorously denied charges that she had shot prisoners, sent them through guarded wire enclosures to be killed by guards who thought they were escaping, or had lashed and kicked women until they bled or died.

Izaak Waltons To Meet Sunday, Build Duck Blinds

Members of the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter of the Izaak Walton League will clear club grounds and prepare duck blinds on the newly acquired club site at an all-day meeting to be held Sunday, George P. Grove, president, said yesterday.

Members have been requested to bring their own saws, hatchets, axes and lunches to the Ames farm at Gunston Cove, about 25 miles from Arlington. Road signs several miles below Fort Belvoir will indicate location of the chapter headquarters.

Krug Offered $75,000 Job In Hollywood

Hollywood, Oct. 17 (AP).—Eric Johnston, president of the Motion Picture Producers and Distributors Association, announced at a press conference today that he has offered an important movie position to J. A. Krug, chairman of the War Production Board.

If he accepts, Krug would step into the new position as president of the Motion Picture Producers Association at a salary of $75,000 a year.

Krug, who is in Los Angeles today, has been given a week to accept, Johnston said. Krug was not immediately available for comment.

"Mr. Krug would have a big job," Johnston commented. "Mainly, it would be the formation of an overall council of the guilds, crafts and producers. This council would be in charge of long range labor policies, research, technological developments and films as an aid to education."

British Pressed To Quit Egypt

Cairo, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—A fiery-worded warning was dispatched by the Egyptian higher executive council to the British Ambassador today demanding immediate evacuation of British troops from the Nile Valley before blood is shed.

The students warned the British that a delay might cause bloodshed for which the British would be responsible "before the world and human conscience." The students, at a mass meeting, adopted resolutions that a waring be sent to the British government, boycotting Britai neconomically, and scheduling another meeting on Saturday.

Amery Wins Delay In Treason Process

London, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—John Amery, son of the former Secretary of India, was granted a postponement of his trial for high treason today by Justice Hallett at Old Bailey Court.

Amery, who appeared in court, is scheduled to be tried for carrying on radio and other propaganda work for Germany and Italy. His counsel, G. O. Slade, e asked a postponement until the November sessions owing to a delay in gathering defense evidence.

Offers Testimony On Atom Bomb

Associated Press Photo

DR. J. R. OPPENHEIMER, scientist in the New Mexico laboratories of the atomic bomb project, who testified yesterday before the Senate Military Affairs Committee that overnight slaughter of 40,000,000 Americans and "virtual destruction of this country" are possible with the new weapon

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Senate Committee to consider all phases of the question.

Would Breed World Distrust

Curtis' testimony stressed the thesis that an American policy of atomic secrecy would breed the most dangerous sort of world distrust. He said:

"It would serve notice on other countries that we were developing atomic energy for military purposes. They will have no choice but to do the same as quickly as possible.

"All diplomatic relations would be on a diplomacy of fear. There would result an international armament race in atomic bombs which would only lead to a war too horrible to contemplate."

At any rate, he said, "the only remaining secrets are technical details which any intelligent group of scientists and engineers could work out in a relatively short time."

President Truman has spoken of retaining here the industrial knowhow of makin ga bomb. But Curtis said "it is impossible to distinguish between the purely scientific facts and the industrial processes."

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swarmed down to a warehouse where 25 telephones had been installed for their use—16 of them reserved for long distance calls and the others for local calls. They also sent hundreds of telegrams from a special telegraph office.

Vice Admiral Frederick C. Sherman received newsmen as he had breakfast in his cabin on the Enterprise, with his famed dog "Admiral Wags" at his side. He said he was "humbly proud to have the honor of bringing this unit of the U. S. Fleet to New York."

25 to Visit Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Oct. 17 (AP).—The vanguard of 25 warships coming here for Navy Day ceremonies October 27 docked today, headed by the battleship Washington.

The destroyer Dyess also docked today. Among others scheduled to arrive here are the cruisers Bremerton and Philadelphia.

5 Arrive at Boston

Boston, Oct. 17 (U.P.). — Five American warships with more than 8000 Pacific naval veterans aboard steamed past Boston Light and into Boston harbor shortly after noon today.

The five ships, which are the vanguard of a mighty display of sea power that will take part in Navy Day exercises sailed by the towering light under sunny autumn skies. All hands not actually running the vessels were on deck to view the many historic islands of Boston Harbor.

Woman Abandoned Baby Born in Depot, Police Say

Los Angeles, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Mrs. Jessie Bennett, 22, Elliott, Miss., gave birth to a baby boy prematurely in a downtown bus depot rest room and abandoned it, police said today.

Police, notified by a woman who said she had seen Mrs. Bennett give birth to the child, found her in a hotel room with Army Air Corps First Lieut. Floyd Bennett, 23, and a 15-month-old girl, Florine.

Bennett said they were not married. He said he was not the father of either child and did not know Mrs. Bennett was an expectant mother.

Bennett, a veteran of overseas combat, said he had just returned from the South Pacific.

He said the woman came from her home in Elliott to meet him and had greeted him at the bus depot last night. She had excused herself, he said, but didn't mention the birth when she returned.

The baby was alive and physicians said it probably would survive.

Ritter Resigns GPO Post to Enter Private Business

Robert A. Ritter, 8 Clement pl., Garrett Park, Md., production planning assistant to the public printer at the Government Printing Office since 1942, has resigned his position to enter private business.

He had been connected with the Federal office since 1939, when he was appointed assistant comptroller in the GPO. In 1940 he was promoted to superintendent of planning, and soon after Pearl Harbor he was elevated to the post he held at the time of his resignation.

He was honored by fellow employes at a farewell dinner last Friday night at the Statler Hotel.

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and looted and religious pictures ripped from the walls of Christian dwellings.

The Thirty-seventh Infantry Brigade started arriving during the day at Bandoeng, summer capital of Java, which the Japanese took over a few days ago from the Indonesians. By nightfall, a full force of British and Indian troops had taken charge.

A British spokesman said the Japanees at Bandoeng would be disarmed and placed in concentration camps.

The Dutch also continued to land troops, arms and relief supplies. Another 700 Dutch troops arrived, bringing the total Dutch forces in Java to 5000.

The British commander of Allied forces, Lieut. Gen. Sir Philip Christison, said he would hold Dr. Soekarno, "President of the Indonesian Republic;" responsible for violent disturbances.

Soekarno, however, blamed the disorders on inflammatory assertions by two powerful nationalist radio stations and the newspaper Merdeka (freedom), which he said he did not control.

His adherents said he was touring Java trying to keep the people calm. The Dutch news agency, Aneta, reported Soekarno was at Buitenzorg, 35 miles south of Batavia.

British Troops to Stay

London, Oct. 17 (AP).—Prime Minister Clement R. Attlee told Commons today that British troops would remain in the Netherlands East Indies until the Dutch are in position to resume control and maintain law and order.

He acknowledged that Allied troops upon entering such areas as Java had placed heavy responsibility on the Japanese to keep order, but in Java we found that outside Batavia control had been largely relinquished by the Japanese to the Indonesian independence movement.

Attlee admitted that the nationalist movement must be taken into account, but he warned against "accepting their claims at face value."

"Meanwhile not only are we under strong moral obligation to our Dutch allies until they are in position to assume control," he said, "but also to maintain law and order and particularly the safety of several thousand Dutch nationalists interned in the interior of the country."

ARGENTINA

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cial Welfare; Antonio Vaquer, Minister of Public Works; Lieut. Col. Mariano Abarca, Minister Industry and Commerce.

Gen. Eduardo Avalos, who replaced Peron as Minister of War, retains his cabinet post, as does Navy Minister Admiral Hector Vernengo Lima.

One demonstration today was staged in front of Government House where a crowd of some 15,000 demanded that the government "free Peron." Previously Avalos had announced Peron was in protective custody.

Avalos appeared before the crowd but was prevented from speaking for 20 minutes. The War Minister finally signed what the crowd thought was an order freeing the former "strong man of Argentine" and the demonstrators dispersed.

Actually Avalos had signed a permit to allow six of Peron's followers to visit the former War Minister at a military hospital where he was reported "resting."

INDICT

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Reserve Bank, containing checks signed by Hugh Rakes in various sums ranging from $300 to $31,400.

Each o fthese counts contains the allegation that Gardner well knew when he sent the checks along "that the account of Hugh Rakes at said Planters' branch did not then and there contain" the various sums alleged, nor any sums approaching that amount.

Intent to Defraud Charged

The nineteenth count charges Gardner as an officer of the bank in charge of the books, monies, funes and affairs of the bank, with intent to defraud the bank" for his benefit and for others on March 6, 1944, certified a check drawn by Rakes on the Planters' branch in the amount of $15,000, debiting the checking account of Rakes by $15,000, and "well knowing" that Rakes' account did not contain $15,000 "nor any sum approaching that amount."

The final count of the indictment alleges that Gardner on or about the same date delivered to a person or persons unknown to the grand jury $11,000 in cash, in exchnage for the delivery of which Gardner charged the sum against the checking account of Rakes knowing that the account did not contain $11,000 nor any sum approaching that amount.

Lamson Cited Because Of 2 Checks He Signed

Harry Lawson has a real estate office at 1311 G st. nw. He lives at 2305 Calvert st. nw. He was cited by the grand jury in connection with two checks, both bearing his signature. The first, in the sum of $20,000, was drawn October 15, 1942, while the second was drawn for $7500 on March 29, 1943.

Baron Mannerheim Is Ill

Stockholm, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Baron Carl Gustaf Mannerheim, president of Finland, has been seriously ill for some tmie, it was reported today. The aged field marshal caught cold during a recent ride in an open car and it now has affected his lungs, heart and blood circulation.

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Garner Denies Dating Wife of Slaying Victim

Harrisonburg, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—Ralph N. Garner testified today in the trial of Mrs. Grace M. Smith, charged with murder in the death of her husband, Frank, that the only time he ever visited Mrs. Smith was on one occasion to deliver sandwiches from a restaurant where he was employed.

Garner, who is also facing trial on a charge of murder in Smith's death, denied having had any engagements with Mrs. Smith.

He testified that blood found on his coat, tie and towels identified with him came from an injury to his hand when he ran it through a window pane at a country club where he was engaged in ousting an individual.

Identified as Escort

Questioned about pencil markings underscoring Mrs. Smith's name in his telephone directory, Garner said he had insurance with the company where Mrs. Smith was employed and had underscored the name for that reason. He told the court he was in bed on the night of the crime.

Another witness was Janie Williams, 75-year-old Negress, a Staunton fortune teller, who said Mrs. Smith visited her some time after the 3d and before the 20th of February when Smith was found dead, and identified Garner as the driver of the automobile in which the woman came to visit him.

Yesterday, the coroner, Dr. F. L. Byres, testified he believed Frank C. Smith committed suicide when he first went to the Smith home the night of the alleged crime. But since that time, he said, conflicting evidence made it impossible to support the statement.

Dr. Byers declared today that Smith, in his personal opinion, was a suicide. He added that he stated in his official report that Smith had died from strangulation.

The last witness this afternoon was George W. Kyl, special agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation in charge of the examination of documents. He examined a telephone book allegedly taken from the home of Garner after he had moved from Harrisonburg to Rawley Springs. The FBI man exhibited enlarged photographs of the telephone page which bore the imprint "Grace" and the phone number at her office at a local insurance firm and also 629W, which he identified as her house number.

Garner Trial Later

Smith's body was found in the basement of his home February 20 of this year and subsequently his wife and Ralph N. Garner, also a World War II veteran, were charged with murder. Garner will be called to trial later.

The commonwealth, attempting to establish a murder charge, has presented evidence that two pools of blood were found on the first floor of the home, supporting the theory that Smith was killed and his body later taken to the basement. The defendant told police, however, that her husband had hanged himself.

Lane Indicates Willingness To Enter Race

Baltimore, Oct. 17 (AP).—Publisher William Preston Lane, jr., of Hagerstown, who has been mentioned frequently as a probable Democratic candidate for Governor next year, declared today that he welcomed "both the responsibility and the opportunity" of the "enormous problem" of reconversion.

Lane, Democratic notional committeman for Maryland and a former State Attorney General, made no direct statement in his address before the Baltimore Advertising Club about his political intentions. However, he commented that "each of us owes a duty to our children and their children of thought, work and action to correct the errors of omission and commission of our past.

"As for me:

"Very simply but very sincerely, I propose to dedicate myself to the fulfillment of that duty."

Lane, head of the Herald & Mail Publishing Co., and an attorney, said of the problem of reconversion and readjustment:

"There is not only a grave responsibility but a splendid opportunity. As for me, I welcome both the responsibility and the opportunity. I believe that many a great page in American history—in State history—in local history—will be written within the next year.

"Like any other undertaking of huge magnitude, it calls for leadership—leadership in thinking—leadership in action. But leadership alone will not get the job done. It will require the sympathetic understanding and active participation of all of us."

Four County Ration Boards Are Consolidated

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—The war price and rationing boards of Fredericksburg and the counties of Spotsylvania, Stafford, King George and Caroline were consolidated yesterday into one area price control board.

Claire D. Schlemmer of Stafford, was elected chairman. Miss Louise McLeod, who has been chief clerk of the Spotsylvania board, was named administrative clerk of the area board.

'Miss Hi-Y' Crowned At Martinsburg Fete

Martinsburg, W. Va., Oct. 17.—Blonde, blue-eyed Lillie Mae Caskey, a senior, was "crowned" by Principal Edwin W. Miller of the high school here "Miss Hi-Y IX" as a result of winning a popularity contest conducted by the students. Runner-up in the "Hi-Y" contest was Jerry Crissey; and in third place was Janice Whitehair.

Doomed by Brain Tumor

Associated Press WIREPHOTO

"BUT WILL SEE DADDY—David Long, 3, on the lap of his mother, Mrs. Oscar E. Long, jr., will die in a few months of a brain tumor, say specialists. The other child is one-year-old Glenn. Following an appeal, the Adjutant General's office has ordered the father, a corporal in Germany, returned by the first available plane to the home in Cumberland, Md.

Cumberland, Md., Oct. 17 (AP).—The Army corporal father of 3-year-old David Long, whom specialists have said will die within a few months of a brain tumor, has been ordered flown home from Germany by the first available plane, Representative Beall (D. Md. 6th) said today.

Mrs. Oscar E. Long, jr., had asked the aid of President Truman, Secretary of War Patterson and Maryland members of Congress. Representative Beall reported that he was informed by the Adjutant General's office of the order for Corporal Long's return.

The soldier, who has one other son, Glenn, aged 1 year, is a member of the Army of Occupation in Germany.

The diagnosis of little David's illness was made by Dr. Walter E. Dandy, Johns Hopkins Hospital brain specialist and surgeon. Since June, Mrs. Long said, David has lost the sight of one eye, can't see well with the other, cannot walk without support, eats little and is no longer able to talk. She said she was informed David was beyond medical help.

The grief-stricken mother is planning an early Christmas for her son and has already given him a tricycle she had purchased for Christmas.

Baker Hospital To Stay Open 'At Least Year'

Martinsburg, W. Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—An official denial of reports that the Army's Newton D. Baker General Hospital here was scheduled to be closed within a short time, in keeping with a retrenchment policy in the wake of the close of the war, was issued here today by the public relations office.

"It is not closing this week or next month or by the first of the year," said the statement issued by Lieut. Jeanne C. Alexander of the PRO.

Supplementing this in a talk to the chamber of commerce she said it would definitely be in operation until next summer and "perhaps much longer than that."

The statement said in part:

"It (the hospital) will be here functioning as an Army general hospital for many long months to come. The rumors that are flying through the community have no basis whatever. In fact, they are not only pointless; they are vicious. They are actually doing harm to the work of the hospital, for they create a feeling of unrest and insecurity and are definitely disrupting the morale of all concerned.

"So far from being on the verge of closing, the hospital has never before had so many patients actually in the wards. Most of these patients will require long hospitalization—plastic and neurosurgical surgery cannot be done in a matter of days or weeks.

"When an official date is set for the closing of the hospital, it will be announced well in advance. We do not know the date yet; we do know that it will be closer to a year from now than to the oft-mentioned 'first of the year.'"

Between five and six million dollars has been spent by the Government on the hospital.

Inspection Ordered On Berkeley Jail

Martinsburg, W. Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—As a result of criticism by a Federal prison inspector of the Berkeley County Jail, the October grand jury yesterday was ordered by Judge D. H. Rodgers to make an inspection and report findings to the County Court.

Judge Rodgers, disclosing the criticism, said he was aware that the county was at present creating a fund for a new jail but he thought the inspection and recommendations should be made nevertheless.

The Federal criticism, he said, included reference to unsatisfactory sanitary facilities, interior conditions generally and lack of painting. The inspector said he was unable to find any record of the interior having been painted for years. It was explained that since the visit the walls have been painted.

POW Labor Contract Extended in W. Va. Area

Charles Town, W. Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—A contract for use of German prisoners of war in the harvesting of apples in this and adjoining Berkeley counties has been extended from the original expiration date—which was the middle of this month to December 8, and the labor is being used to help farmers get their corn cut and into the barns, it was disclosed through the county agent's office here.

Veteran Railman Retires

Westminster, Md., Oct. 17 (AP).—Frank T. Butler has retired as telegraph operator and ticket agent for the Western Maryland Railway after 50 years' service.

Md. Rapist Doomed

Baltimore, Oct. 17 (AP).—Criminal Court Judge Herman M. Moser imposed the death sentence yesterday upon Lloyd Walker, 22-year-old Negro convicted of attempted rape upon a 19-year-old girl.

County Liquor License System Under Attack

Baltimore, Oct. 17 (AP).—Protest against Allegany County's liquor laws vesting control of alcoholic beverage sales in the circuit court and limiting issuance of licenses were presented to the Legislative Council today by citizens who condemned the system as discriminatory and unconstitutional.

The leading advocate of the status quo was former Attorney General William C. Walsh, who had a hand in drawing up the act 12 years ago and who took exceptions to statements by Judge F. Neal Parker of Westminister, Md., that the bench ought not to be an administrator of liquor laws.

Walsh presented to the council a letter by two of the three Allegany Councily circuit court judges, W. C. Capper and W. A. Huster, which read in part:

"As to the administration of liquor laws by the Circuit Court, we have no objection to this whatever. We think that it has worked out very well, . . . has kept the liquor business out of politics, and that the people in general are in favor of the continuance of the present law."

Walsh, who represented the Liquor Retail Dealers Association, stressed that the limit of one license per 1500 population was for "the general good" and that the restriction was decided upon 12 years ago to prevent a recurrence of evils which he said gave rise to prohibition sentiment.

However, Cumberland attorney Edward J. Ryan cast doubts on the constitutionality of the act and scored a system which, he said, vested control of the liquor business in 58 established licensees at the expense of would-be newcomers and infringed upon private enterprise.

To this, Walsh replied that no one has "an absolute right to enter the liquor business just as one can't open a racetrack by merely qualifying as a reputable citizen."

New Records Set In Visitors to Monticello Shrine

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—With the annual pilgrimage to Monticello moving into full swing, managers of the estate are looking to the establishment of an all-time October record this year in the number of visitors to the shrine.

Following the lefting of gasoline rationing last August, visitors from far and near flocked to the home of Jefferson in unprecedented numbers in September, setting a new high for that month of 10,252 persons, or nearly four times as many visitors than in the same month of 1944, when motorists were watching their gas stamps.

During the first 15 days of this month, 4693 visitors came to Monticello to pay homage to the author of the Declaration of Independence and to view the gardens, as against 3066 during the entire month of October, 1944. Attendance at the mountain shrine during the first half of last October was 1543, or one third the number already recorded this month.

Charles Keyser Buried; Former Va. Postmaster

Rileyville, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—Funeral services were held today from the Compton Church, with interment in Beahm's Chapel Cemetery, near Luray, for Charles Keyser, 72, former postmaster at Compton, who died in a hospital at Front Royal, following injuries received from a fall from a roof. Neighbors said Mr. Keyser was patching his roof.

Mr. Keyser is survived by the following children: James Keyser, Compton merchant; Emmett and Frank Keyser, Luray; Elmer Keyser, Front Royal; Jesse Keyser, Maryland; C. T. Keyser, Madison; Joe Keyser, Front Royal, and Mrs. Gwin Miller, Elkton.

Daniel H. Andrews

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 17.—Daniel H. Andrews, 60, a native of Charlottesville, died yesterday at his home in Charleston, W. Va. Funeral and interment will take place on Thursday afternoon in Charleston. Mr. Andrewg was the son of the late J. B. Andrews, for years one of Charlottesville's leading merchants and breeder of fine horses.

Mrs. Rosa K. Graves

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—Funeral services were held at Trinity Episcopal Church here today for Mrs. Rosa Kite Graves, wife of Levert P. Graves, prominent Stafford County farmer, who died in a local hospital Monday. Mrs. Graves, a native of Madison County, was a graduate of Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio, and studied music at Peabody Institute, Baltimore. She frequently assisted in teaching music in Stafford public schools.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Nancy and Lillian Graves; her mother, Mrs. Rosa B. Kite of Madison; four sisters and a brother.

Mrs. Elsie Koontz

Elkton, Va., Oct. 17.—Funeral services were held yesterday for Mrs. Elsie Koontz, 46, wife of N. H. Koontz of Elkton. She was educated at Southern Seminary, Buena Vista. She is survived by the following children: Miss Jean Koontz, Harrisonburg; Pvt. Phillip K. Koontz, Camp Claiborne, La.; Miss Charlotte Koontz, Dunsmore Business College; Gertrude, Noah, Joan and David at Elkton.

Pvt. Delbert Rogers

Winchester, Va., Oct. 17.—Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Pine Grove Methodist Church for Pvt. Delbert Rogers, 34, son of Mrs. Rosa Rogers Hawkins of Winchester, who died Sunday morning at the Newton D. Baker General Hospital, where he had been a patient for a short time. Pvt. Rogers had served in North Africa and Italy. In addition to his mother he leaves a brother and two sisters.

Daniel F. Carper

Winchester, Va., Oct. 17.—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Daniel Frank Carper, 66, who died yesterday. Interment will be in Mount Hebron Cemetery where only three days ago Mr. Carper served as a pallbearer at the funeral of a friend. He farmed in nearby Clarke county 40 years before recently retiring. He belonged to the Methodist Church and Woodmen of the World. He leaves his wife and three daughters.

Middletown Seaman Reported Drowned

Winchester, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zoner of Middletown, have been advised that their son Ship's Cook 3/c Richard Zoner, USNR, was drowned in Japanese waters on October 4. No details were available but it is thought that he was a victim of the typhoon which raged in that area. The Navy Department advised that he had been buried on Aiea. In addition to his parents two brothers survive.

Historic Estate Acquired by M.W. College

CIVIL WAR BATTLE RECALLED—The stately old house (above) is "Brompton", part of a 174-acre estate recently acquired by Mary Washington College in Fredericksburg, Va., the women's undergraduate division of the University of Virginia. The mansion, built in 1838 and used as General Longstreet's headquarters during the Battle of Fredericksbufg in December, 1862, overlooks famous Sunken Road, where Confederate soldiers repulsed 14 furious charges by Union troops

Va. Methodists Favor Sharing Food, A-Bomb

Richmond, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—The Virginia Methodist Conference, crowding Centenary Methodist Church to the rafters, today heard reports of a flourishing year in Virginia Methodism, financially, and as to converts and new church members.

Bishop W. W. Peele presided at the business session, where district superintendents from over the State continually reported oversubscriptions to the Methodist Crusade for Christ fund, benevolences and other church offerings. A considerable increase in membership in churches in the 14 districts was reported.

Peacetime Draft Hit

Peacetime compulsory military training was opposed in the report of the Virginia conference committee's mimeographed report committees' mimeographed report expressed the belief that "the interest of world peace can be best promoted through the practice of democratic principles."

The committee also urged the Government of the United States "to ship at least 15 million tons of food (the estimated minimum need) overseas within the next 12 months, and as much more as is consistent with the welfare of the American people," commenting that "selfishness leads to strife . . . the way of sympathetic understanding and generous sharing leads to brotherhood and peace."

"Information relative to the atomic bomb should be released to the United Nations Council to be used as necessary in the maintenance of peace," the committee set forth. Committee members said they believe exclusive possession of the atomic bomb by any one nation will stimulate other nations to seek a construction of similar weapons, and that no nation "is sufficiently free from the influence of self-interest, political and military pressure, etc., to be a safe and sole guardian of such an instrument."

The committee also "registered opposition" to every form of prejudice and discrimination against minority racial and national groups within the nation, and opposed the Winstead bill which would discharge men in civilian public service in case of hardship, and urged instead that conscientious objectors be discharged on a definite and impartial point system.

Joseph S. Johnston of Arlington, is chairman of this committee and W. Vaughan Moore of Union Station, is secretary.

Livestock and Produce

Baltimore Livestock

Baltimore, Oct. 17 (AP). (U. S. Dept. of Agriculture)—CATTLE—Receipts, 300 largely grass-fat steers; bulls intended for Thursday's market; cows and bulls slow; few early sales about steady with Tuesday; common and medium cows, 9.00@12.00; canners and cutters, 6.50@8.50; shelly canners, 5.00@6.00; good weighty sausage bulls scarce; eligible to 12.00; bulk light and medium weighty, 8.00@11.50.

CALVES—Receipts, 125; vealers active, steady with Tuesday; mixed lot good and choice 120-220 lbs., 15.50 to mainly 16.00; common and medium, 9.50@14.50; culls around 7.50; extreme light weights down to 5.00; weighty slaughter calves draggy; few good, not too heavy, 14.00; bulk common and medium, 10.00@13.00.

HOGS—Receipts, 150; active, steady with Tuesday at ceiling level; good and choice barrows and gilts, 120 lbs. and above, 15.40; good sows, 14.65.

Above prices are based on grain-fed hogs.

SHEEP—Receipts, 100; slaughter lambs active, steady with Tuesday; practical top and popular price, 15.50; mixed lot good and choice wooled lambs, usually from 80 lbs. up and including buck, 15.00@15.50; common and medium, 10.50@13.50; culls around 7.50; slaughter ewes active, steady; choice light weights, 5.50; bulk common to good, 2.00@5.00, according to grade.

Richmond Market

Richmond, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—SWEET POTATOES—Market dull. Louisiana, South Carolina, North Carolina and Virginia, 2.00@2.50; few higher.

CABBAGE—Southwest Virginia receipts light; market steady, 1.50@1.75.

TOMATOES—Receipts moderate; market steady. California lugs, 3.50@4.00.

EGGS (prices paid net to producers, f. o. b. Richmond). Receipts light; market firm. Federal-State grading stations: Whites, browns, U. S. Grade A, extra large, 54@55; U. S. Grade A, large, 51@53; U. S. Grade A, medium, 45@49; U. S. Grade A, small, 38; U. S. Grade B, large, 45; U. S. Grade B, medium, 42; U. S. Grade C, large, 40@41; pullets, 36@37; current receipts, 38.

LIVE POULTRY (prices paid net to producers, f. o. b. Richmond). Receipts, fairly liberal; market weak on Leghorn hens and young chickens. Roosters, fryers and broilers, 26@28; fowl, 23@24; Leghorn hens, 20; old roosters and stags, 18.

HOGS—Receipts, 13; market at ceiling $14.90 (flat) on good and choice barrows and gilts, 120-330 lbs., up; 100-120 lbs., 13.40; good sows under 350 lbs., 14.15; 350-500 lbs., 14.15; weights over 500 lbs., 14.15; good stags, 14.15.

CATTLE—Choice steers, 15.50@16.00; good, 13.00@13.50; medium, 11.00@12.50; common, 8.00@10.00; good beef-type cows, 9.00@10.00; good dairy-type, 8.00@8.50; medium, 7.00@7.50; common, 5.00@6.00; shelly kinds lower; good beef-type heifers, 12.00@13.50; medium, 8.00@9.00; common, 6.00@7.50; good butcher bulls, 10.00@10.50; medium, 8.00@9.50; light common kinds, 6.50@7.50; choice calves, 15.50; good, 14.00@14.50; medium, 11.00@12.00; common, 8.00@10.00; good to choice lambs, 14.00@14.50; good sheep, 5.00@7.00.

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Oct. 17 (AP). (USDA)—SALABLE HOGS—Receipts, 3500; total, 10,000; active and fully steady; good and choice barrows and gilts at 140 lbs. up at the 14.85 ceiling; good and choice sows at 14.10; complete clearance.

SALABLE CATTLE—Receipts, 11,000; total, 12,000; salable calves, 800; total, 800; good and choice fed steers and yearlings including yearling heifers, very active; fully steady to 15 cents higher; lower grades along with other classes of slaughter cattle steady; vealers unchanged; stockers and feeders strong; bulk good and choice fed steers and yearlings, 16.00@18.00; better than 50 loads at the 18.00 ceiling, including 925-lb. yearling steers as well as mixed steers and heifers; common and medium killing steers, 11.50@14.50; 72 head strong choice fed heifers, 17.85; several loads good Western range cows, 13.00@13.75; canners and cutters, 7.00@8.50; top 12.75 on good weighty sausage bulls; vealers 15.00 down. Good and choice stocker and feeder steers, 13.25@14.50.

SALABLE SHEEP—Receipts, 3000; total, 5500; slaughter lambs, strong to 15 cents higher, other killing classes steady; good and choice slaughter lambs mostly 14.75@15.00; bucks 1.00 less; common lightweight sort-outs lambs, 11.00@11.50, bucks included; short deck good and choice 96-lb. fed yearlings, fall-shorn pelts, 12.75; common to choice slaughter ewes, 5.00@6.50, according to grade; three loads at 108 lbs., Western slaughter ewes, 5.00; one load 104-lb. averages, 4.85.

The Federal Diary

By Jerry Kluttz

Navy to Make Sharp Cut In Military Personnel

NAVY will make a sharp cut in its military personnel stationed in Washington. However, no substantial cut will be made in civilian personnel until after next July 1. These are the highlights of the personnel picture as presented to the House Appropriations Committee by Rear Admiral F. C. Crisp, director of Personnel and shore establishments. On August 31, the Navy had on duty here, excluding Coast Guard and Marine Corps, 46,650 persons of whom 17,429 were civilians, 16,594 were enlisted personnel, and 12,627 were officers. "Our plans," Crisp told the committee, "contemplate a reduction by the end of 1946 to a total departmental force of 18,019, composed of 12,824 civilians, 1830 enlisted personnel, and 3365 officers." This would be an overall reduction of 28,631.

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OUTLOOK: By the end of next June, Crisp predicted, the military force here will have been cut from 29,000 to 10,000 and civilians to 16,700, a slight cutback which could be absorbed easily by resignations. "During this period," Crisp said, "civilians will be taking over the continuing civilian-type duties now being performed by military personnel, and any further reduction in civilian strength can only result in delaying the release of military personnel or in failure to accomplish essential work." The committee wasn't convinced and it doesn't agree that 26,700 jobs will be needed by that time. It demanded speedier and larger reductions of both civilians and military people. The committee reported it has been concerned about the large numbers of naval personnel and civilians on duty here and it reported "there unquestionably has prevailed a very considerable overstaffing."

OPA: Big layoffs are coming in the Office of Price Administration. Administrator Chester Bowles told the committee that 36,500 jobs will be abolished by next June 30, leaving the agency with about 25,000 employes. The main layoffs will be in the field. About 20,000 jobs already have been eliminated as rationing is dropped and additional people will be furloughed as tires, meats and other goods are made point-free. Rent restrictions also will be lifted from some areas. The agency, however, has had to enlarge some units to fix prices on consumer goods. It also plans to keep a large enforcement staff. Price controls over services such as laundries and dry cleaning are slated to be removed by January 1.

STORY: Last May several members of Congress were taken on a supersecret tour of the atomic bomb plant at Oak Ridge. Chairman Cannon of the House Appropriations Committee toook it for granted at the time that the bomb would be released in two or three weeks. He takes up now: "When we adjourned without hearing from it I was alarmed. I got to thinking about it on the way home, and I must confess to some serious misgiving. It occurred to me that we might be following a will-'o-the-wisp. We had put two billion dollars, about half the assessed valuation of the State of Missouri, into this proposition, without really knowing what it was and if it failed it would be hard to explain. So, I decided that when the House reconvened I would call the committee together and urge that we close down the whole thing and not send good money after bad. I had some carpenters working on my place at home, and one day when they came back from dinner one of them said, 'I heard a queer thing over the radio today.' . . . 'What was it?' I asked. . . . He replied: 'They dropped some sort of a new bomb on Japan.' . . . I never felt more relieved in my life."

FBI must make a sharp reduction in its number of employes. Director J. Edgar Hoover of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, estimates that he must lay off 4872 employes between now and June 30 if Congress follows the recommendation made by the Budget Bureau to recapture FBI's war appropriation. The committee reported: "This may be too severe so early after the war although it is true the war's termination has brought to an end many responsibilities the FBI has shouldered since Pearl Harbor. These considerations were all weighted by the Bureau of the Budget before its determination was transmitted to the Congress by the President and the committee, therefore, is unwilling to depart from the recommendation it has received."

PROPOSALS: The committee also recommended that the Budget Bureau take measures toward the establishment of a single statistical agency. It said 65 separate agencies are engaged in statistical work and "duplication is bound to result and there must be much unnecessary overhead. . . . It also called for a quick liquidation of the quayule rubber project but it suggests research on it be continued until June 30. . . . It urged the Army follow the Navy and set up a single coordinator over research to avoid duplication and waste of funds. . . . Civil Service has directed the Federal Security Agency to withhold a proposed grant of $11,000 to the State of Pennsylvania because it had failed to fire Tom E. Williams who was ordered removed by the commission on Hatch Act (playing politics) charges. . . . The return of the United States Employment Service to the States within 30 days following enactment of the first deficiency bill was recommended by the House committee.

24 Northern Va. Law Officers Get FBI Diplomas

Winchester, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—Dr. C. R. Anderson, commissioner of police, has presented certificates to 24 law enforcement officers of the area successfully completing the five-week course of study on police training and technics offered by the Winchester Police Department in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation. Receiving the diplomas were:

Chief of Police C. W. Hollis, Capt. J. Tom Boyd, Sergt. F. M. Funk, Robert Lowery, Warren Rudolph, Richard Campbell, James Thompson, Robert Milburn, Holmes Wisecarver, Edward Hinkins, Hugh Orndorff, William Thompson and Robert L. DeHaven, all of Winchester; S. P. Alexander, Loudoun County; C. F. Reed, Roger Powell and S. C. Bell, Leesburg; James W. Simpson and John H. Williams, Front Royal; Charles Crabill and James F. Moreland, Strasburg; W. L. Foltz, Jesse D. Funkhouser and H. C. Pangle, Woodstock, and Tom Bailey, ABC agent.

Simpson, of Front Royal, and Rudolph, Winchester, made top grades, 99.

City to Pay $10,000 In Suit Settlement

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 17 (Spl.).—City council has voted to accept recommendation by City Attorney Lyttelton Waddell for an out-of-court settlement for $10,000 of the $15,000 damage suit filed by Mrs. Ruby J. Tomlin as a result of the gas-asphyxiation death of her husband, Marshall L. Tomlin.

Council was advised that attorneys for Mrs. Tomlin had expressed their willingness to accept a $10,000 settlement of the suit, filed in Albermarle Circuit Court, and charging negligence on the part of the city and its employes in the installation of a gas meter in the Tomlin apartment.

Will Mark 75th Year

Uniontown, Md., Oct. 17 (AP).—St. Paul's Lutheran Church, which is observing its seventy-fifth anniversary services this month, will hear a sermon Sunday by the Rev. Dr. H. T. Bowersox, pastor of St. Paul's Church in Cumberland.

Tuck Stresses 10-Fold Rise in School Budget

Fredericksburg, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—The present appropriations made by the State government for the public school system have increased to 10 times the amount provided in 1918, Lieut. Gov. William M. Tuck, Democratic candidate for Governor declared in a campaign speech here tonight.

The South Boston nominee asserted that the Democratic Party in Virginia "is proud to stand on the record of the last 20 or 25 years. It is a record of progress in the administration of public affairs and it speaks for itself. I can add nothing to that record as it is written."

Hits GOP "Promises"

"The prime issue in the current campaign," he stated, "is the record of accomplishment under Democratic leadership against the utopian promises and demonstrated inefficiency and incapacity of the Republican Party."

Public school appropriations for the 1944-46 biennium—a total of $41,726,585—represent an increase of $21,230,700, or nearly 100 per cent over the appropriations for the 1940-42 period, Tuck pointed out. He pledged his continued support to the full development of the State's educational program and reiterated his advocacy of adequate salaries for teachers, improvement of school facilities and the adoption of modern methods of instruction in the public schools. The amount set aside for the school year 1945-46 was $21,628,233, whereas $2,152,471 was provided for the school system in 1918.

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"On a teacher unit basis," Tuck said, "the fund of $15,545,000 set aside out of the appropriation for the current year exclusively for teachers' salaries amounts to an average teacher unit of $1050. This compares with an average appropriation of $610 per teacher unit for the year ended June 30, 1942, an increase of $440, or 72 per cent. The additional amount paid for teachers' salaries out of the appropriation for vocational education and from certain other funds, if distributed on a teacher unit basis, would increase the average per teacher unit for the current year to $1188.

Lieutenant Governor Tuck spoke of improvement in the highway system, the public health program, the development and expansion of various State institutions and the expansion of State services to the farmers of Virginia through development of the State department of agriculture.

"If I am elected your Governor," he said, "this record of progress will be continued and expanded. I have had long experience in the General Assembly and practically all the members of that body are my personal friends. We can work together and we will work together for the continued welfare and progress of the Commonwealth."

Jobless Benefits For Workers Back In School Lauded

Annapolis, Md., Oct. 17 (AP).—Goveonor O'Conor's position in allowing unemployment compensation benefits to be paid to youthful war workers who return to public school was termed today a "very sensible and sound policy" by the State education department.

State School Superintendent Thomas C. Pullen, jr., told the Governor in a letter that "undoubtedly many deserving youths will benefit by your action and that of the Unemployment Compensation Board."

All county superintendents have been notified of the decision, Pullen wrote, and have been given details of the procedure by which student claims will be settled.

It will be necessary for the pupils to report at the office of the U. S. Employment Service and the Unemployment Compensation Board each week to file a claim, Pullen explained.

An absolute requisite in the proceeding is a certificate from the teacher attesting that the claimant is a regular attendant at school.

Fire Damages Md. Dormitory

Catonsville, Md., Oct. 17 (AP).—Fire broke out in a three-story, 20-room dormitory at the St. Charles College today, destroying the roof and threatening the lower floors of the structure.

The 30 students, who had vacated the dormitory by the time the fire started, left their classes, and some of them helped the firemen recover clothing and bedding from the first and second floors of the building.

The Rev. George A. Gleason, S. S. president of the school, said the blaze was discovered by a professor, who telephoned the Catonsville Fire Department.

Va. Farmer Is Found Dead in Blazing Bed

Waynesboro, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—Henry Clayton Metzler, 43, farmer and painter of Route 1, Crimora, was found dead in a blazing bed about 6 a. m. today by his son, Joseph, a soldier on furlough from Camp Oglethorpe, Ga., and a distant relative of the family, Elmer Baber.

A spokesman for the family said they believed the man died from suffocation from smoke fumes. He said he believed Metzler may have been smoking in bed.

Dr. N. P. Obenschain of Staunton, Augusta County coroner, will perform an autopsy.

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Mr. O'Malley, my Fairy Godfather, is having a party Saturday at Aunt Minerva's, Jane—
I can't go. That's the day the new Captain Bloodbath Comic comes out at the drugstore—

By Crockett Johnson

Me neither. Saturday I always dig up the bone I bury Monday—
You weren't invited—
Maybe we'd better call it off, Mr. O'Malley—
CROCKETT JOHNSON

4 Generals On Masons' Honor Lists

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Three area men along with Generals Douglas MacArthur, Henry H. Arnold, James H. Doolittle, Ben Lear, and Agriculture Secretary Clinton P. Anderson, yesterday were elected to the highest degree of masonry, the honorary 33rd degree.

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They were chosen along with 1300 men all over the United States at the biennual meeting of the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Southern Jurisdiction, at their temple at 1733 16th st. nw. Council sessions will last throughout this week.

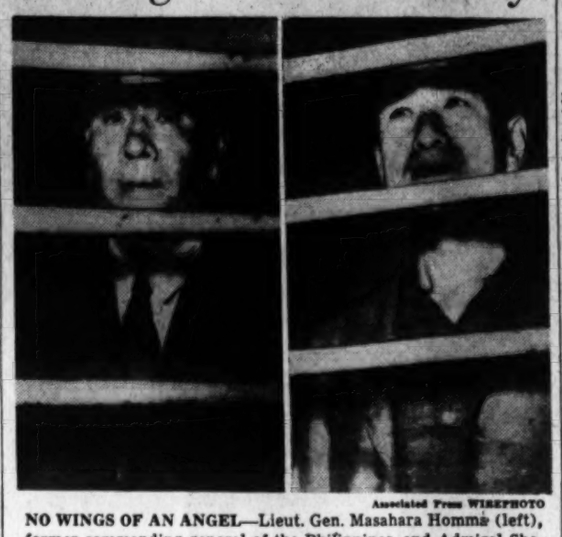
Charles Ervin Baldwin, 8210 Larry pl., Chevy Chase, Md., former Assistant Commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics; Frederick Barton Blackburn, 16 Sycamore ave., Takoma Park, Md., employe of the Treasury Department; and Erdmann Theodore Stulz, 2600 Russell rd., Alexandria, Va., secretary-treasury of the Southern Standard Engravers, Inc., were the local men selected for the honor. The degree is given to men who have been prominent in masonry activities.

The council also bestowed the title of Knights Commander on the following thirty-second degree masons: Admiral Marc A. Mitscher, commander of the Pacific Task Force 58; Brig. Gen. Frank T. Hines, Ambassador to Panama and former Veterans administrator; Andrew F. Schoeppel, Governor of

Blackburn Baldwin

Kansas; Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D., Colo.); Lawrence Brooks Hays (D., Ark.); Vice Admiral Thomas L. Gatch, judge advocate general of the Navy; Capt. Harold E. Stassen, former Governor of Minnesota, and Maj. Gen. Shelley Uriah Marietta, commanding general of Walter Reed Hospital. These men were among the 952 masons who were elected Knights Commander to the Court of Honor.

New Angle on an Old Story



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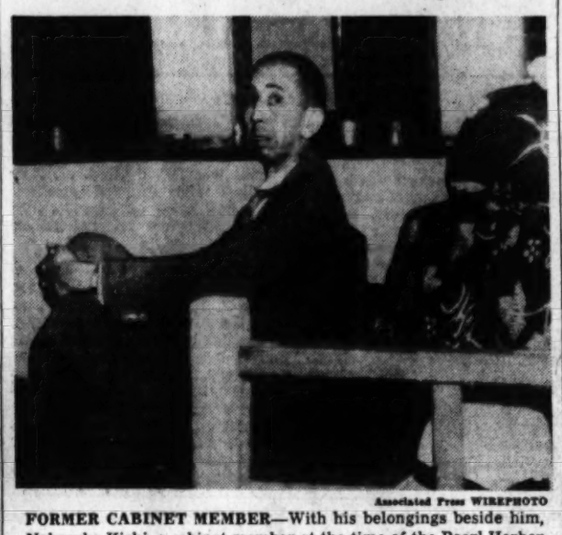
NO WINGS OF AN ANGEL—Lieut. Gen. Masahara Homma (left), former commanding general of the Philippines, and Admiral Shegetora Shimada, former member of the Japanese cabinet at the cabinet at the time of the Pearl Harbor attack, await their trial as war criminals behind bars at the Yokohama prison



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FORMER CABINET MEMBER—With his belongings beside him, Nobosuke Kichi, a cabinet member at the time of the Pearl Harbor attack, waits to be removed from his cell at the Yokohama jail on October 5

British Hear Halifax Letter IndorsingFund

From Yesterday's Late Editions

British Ambassador Lord Halifax yesterday indorsed the Community War Fund campaign in a letter read at a luncheon meeting opening the campaign for $45,000 by members of the British Dominion missions.

Approximately 160 solicitors heard Capt. Cotton Minchin, first secretary of the British Embassy read Halifax's message which said in part, "I gladly commend the cause of the Community War Fund to the members of the staffs of the British Embassy and of the British Missions in Washington."

After reviewing briefly the ground covered by campaign funds this year he said, "On every one of these counts the drive is deserving of all support we are able to give it, and I venture to hope that this year it will receive from the members of the British Missions the same support."

Herbert L. Willett, jr., executive director of the District's campaign for $4,970,000 described foreign relief through the National War Agencies. "While our foreign relief is primarily in food and clothing we are actually meeting specific needs wherever we go.

"If a child needs hospital care, we are giving it; if a woman needs needle and thread, she gets it; and if a man needs a hammer and nails to put his house together, he gets them. We are doing all the things which must be done until national war governments are able to step in and take over," Willett concluded.

Of all the foreign relief groups in last year's campaign, the British turned the highest number of contributors for the largest total, $35,394.

The next report meeting is scheduled for Friday at 12:15 p. m. in the Chamber of Commerce Building.

Willett also reemphasized the fact that the Community War Fund is a convenient way to contribute to favorite agencies and urged again that contributions be made "where you work."

He also reminded solicitors that only 6.47 per cent of the total pledges are used to defray the expenses of the campaign compared to 15 per cent used per agency prior to the consolidation under the present system.

Grateful for USO Aid, Soldier Donates $100

A veteran of three years in the Army who "has had housing problems solved on numerous occasions by the USO" has given a check for $100 through the Alexandria Unit, 112 S. Washington st.

Unsolicited Corpl. Paul Kohnstamm and his wife made their contribution after which Mrs. Kohnstamm offered her services as a solicitor for the duration of the campaign. The couple is living at the Red Shutters while Corporal Kohnstamm is stationed at Fort Belvoir, Va.

Germans Join Hands With Japs in Siberia

New York, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—The long-awaited junction between the German and Japanese armed forces has taken place, CBS Correspondent Farnsworth Fowle reported from Moscow today.

He reported that German war prisoners at a prison camp in Siberia recently heard that some Japanese prisoners were about to join them. So, they put up a big sign reading:

"Welcome to our allies—at last we have joined hands in Siberia."

British Accuse Jews of Trying To Nab Payroll

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Jerusalem, Oct. 16 (AP).—British authorities said armed Jews attempted to hold up a British truck carrying a military payroll today, but were frustrated when the escort opened fire. The truck driver rammed through railroad crossing gates lowered to stop the vehicle.

Bengal Moslems Ready

Calcutta, Oct. 16 (AP). — Sir Khwaja Nazimuddin, former Premier of Bengal and a leader of the all-India Moslem League, declared today the Moslems of Bengal were ready "to undergo any sacrifices" in support of the stand taken by Christian and Moslem Arabs against Jewish expansion in Palestine.

Sir Khwaja said the Arabs had made "concession after concession and their attitude has been mistaken for weakness."

Citizen Groups Vote Against Monthly Paper

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Two citizens associations last night went on record as opposing publication of a monthly magazine by the Federation of Citizens Associations.

Both the Takoma Park and Lincoln Park groups instructed their delegates to the Federation to oppose the measure.

Following officers were reelected at the Takoma Park Citizens Association: John R. Walker, president; L. R. Graybil, vice president; Mrs. Mary L. White, second vice president and treasurer. Burt F. Andrews and Reed F. Martin were reelected as delegates to the federation.

Petworth Citizens Elect Officers

Harvey O. Craver was elected president of the Petworth Citizens Association at their meeting last night at their meeting at the Petworth Public Library, Georgia ave. and Upshur st. nw.

Craver succeeds Sanes B. Passmore who has held the position for the last two years. The following officers were reelected: first vice president, Damon O. Spencer; second, Thomas R. Manning; secretary, Earl W. Cooper, and treasurer, John S. Hamil.

Two newly elected officers were Mrs. O. H. Nelson, assistant secretary, and Horace J. Phelps, financial secretary.

The group voted to participate in the memorial services to be held October 29 under the auspices of the Fort Stevens Post of the American Legion. Letters of congratulation and commendation will be sent to Richmond B. Keech and Vernon E. West and a letter of appreciation will be issued to General Kutz.

Oslo Bids Sad Idieu To Departing Yanks

Oslo, Oct. 17 (AP).—The last American occupation troops in Norway sailed from Olso harbor today aboard the Liberty ship Bienville. Hundreds of Norwegians said farewell to the Americans they called "vaare hjerters okkupanters—occupiers of our hearts." The troops jammed the rails and showered the Norwegians with cigarettes and chewing gum.

The Norwegians presented the troops diplomas signed by Crown Prince Olaf thanking each soldier for his part in "restoring freedom to our land."

Airing In House

Rankin Calls DAR Attacks 'Communist'

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The controversy over denial of the DAR's Constitution Hall for the appearance of Negro artists broke onto the House floor in bitter debate yesterday, spurred on by vigorous applause from the gallery.

Representative John E. Rankin (D., Miss.) lighted the fuse by declaring that attacks on the Daughters of the American Revolution were of "Communist" origin.

"We have come to a hell of a pass," he shouted, "when a man presuming to be a member of the House goes to the Associated Press and refers to Mrs. Truman as 'the last lady of the land' for taking dinner with the DAR."

Rankin was referring to a statement reportedly made by Representative Adam Clayton Powell, jr., (D., N. Y.) because Mrs. Truman refused to boycott a DAR tea after the organization denied his wife, Negro pianist Hazel Scott, use of the hall.

Taking issue with Rankin was Representative John M. Coffee (D., Wash.) who jumped to his feet when Rankin's time had expired and deplored "drawing the color line" in Constitution Hall.

"I commend the President of the United States for repudiating the action of the DAR, and I join with the Washington Post also in editorially denouncing the stand once again taken by the DAR," he exclaimed.

Gallery applause also greeted his speech, and Speaker Rayburn admonished spectators that House rules prohibit such "demonstrations."

Representative Emanuel Celler of New York added the remarks that the DAR's certificate of incorporation, "which was adopted in this very chamber," provided for equality for all.

British Union Threatens to Oust Dockers

London, Oct. 17 (AP). — The Dockers' Union threatened to disown 46,000 striking dock workers today after 11,000 men in London and Liverpool voted to prolong the wildcat walkout menacing Britain's food supplies.

One striker shouted defiantly that the port-crippling strike had "done something the U-boats could not do."

While some 4000 soldiers unloaded food ships,1150 ship clerks quit at the previously-unaffected Surrey docks in London, throwing another 4000 dockers into enforced idleness, and boosting the national total of stevedores affected to 50,000.

The strikers have demanded a $5-a-day wage—an increase of $1.90—a 40-hour week, abolishing of piece work pay and improved medical services.

Scores of ships, bearing some 200,000 tons of food for strictly-rationed Britons, were in ports awaiting handling.

Illness Forces Stettinius' Return

New York, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Edward R. Stettinius, jr., American delegate to the United Nations Organization, arrived here from London today for treatment of a gall bladder condition.

Stettinius, who was accompanied by his wife and three sons, said he was forced to return to the United States because of "sudden illness."

Communist Accuses Truman Of Imperialistic Tendencies

By the United Press

Communist Leader William Z. Foster yesterday accused President Truman of leaning toward "aggressive imperialism," and said it was a "sorry day for world peace and world democracy" when James F. Byrnes was appointed Secretary of State.

He also told the House un-American activities committee nvestigating Communist activities in this country that he was "quite correct" when he denounced, in a recent New York speech, the control of Japan by the "arch conservative (Gen. Douglas) MacArthur."

Foster's charge against Mr. Truman was made in reply to a question by Representative Gerald W. Landis (R., Ind.), about the New York speech.

Some committee members, notably Representative John E. Rankin (D., Miss.), objected to his answering it, but Representative J. Parnell Thomas (R., N. J.) insisted on a reply.

"For the last two months," Foster said, "President Truman has undoubtedly been yielding to the monopolistic forces behind American imperialism. Mr. Byrnes' appointment was a concession to imperialism."

He told the committee that Republicans John Foster Dulles, Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg (R., Mich), Gov. Thomas E. Dewey of New York and former President Herbert Hoover are "typical of American imperialists."

He said Mr. Hoover has more influence in Congress today than President Truman.

Foster testified that the Communist Party hopes for the eventual establishment of socialism in America, but is willing to "make the best of it" under capitalism.

The party became a political association in 1943, he said, because the Big Three Teheran Conference "convinced us that a sizable section of American capitalism advocated loyal cooperation with the other great nations."

In a statement to the press, Foster called for the obolition of the House committee. He accused it of carrying on "a combination of Hitlerian red-baiting, Japanese dangerous-thought control and Salem witch-hunting." He called it an "incipient Gestapo."

He refused to answer questions by Rankin concerning a pamphlet he wrote in 1922 because, he said, he had repudiated its revolutionary thesis many years ago.

Ga. Jails Called Humane

Atlanta, Oct. 17 (AP).—Gov. Ellis Arnall denied vigorously today that prisoners are whipped and beaten in Georgia. Commenting on statements made at the trial of the Belsen concentration camp guards at Luenberg, Germany, yesterday, the Governor said that reforms in the Georgia prison system now in effect prevent all kinds of violent treatment.

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City News in Brief

Sum Marked For Reviving Parking Unit

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The Commissioners have agreed to earmark $10,000 of their 1947 budget requests for reviving the Motor Vehicle Parking Agency.

Authorized by Congress in 1942 but denied funds during the war emergency the agency was formed to devise a solution to the downtown parking problem. At recent public hearings on the budget, automobile clubs and citizens' groups called for revival of the agency "as soon as possible."

The Commissioners have asked the District Engineer in the U. S. Engineer's Office, War Department, to help the Recreation Board regain part of the Happy Hollow playground taken over by the Army during the war. The playground is located at 18th st. and Kalorama rd. nw.

Checks for some 50 part-time doctors in the Health Department, which have been withheld for more than a month as the result of a payroll mixup, will be issued tomorrow, District Auditor Arthur R. Pilkerton said yesterday.

Francis L. Timmons, who has been on a two-year military leave of absence from his post as administrative assistant to the District Engineer Commissioner, was restored to duty yesterday.

Congressmen Back Truman's Plea For Palestine Jewry

By the United Press
From Yesterday's Late Editions

Almost a score of Congressmen, Democrats and Republicans, spoke in the House yesterday in support of President Truman's plea that 100,000 Jews be permitted to enter Palestine immediately.

House leaders, in an unusual action, set aside one full hour of yesterday's session for discussion of the Palestine situation. The move was sponsored by Representative Herman P. Eberharter (D., Pa.).

House Democratic Leader John W. McCormack of Massachusetts said the American people "do not think the Jews have gotten a square deal."

He assailed the British government for shutting off Jewish immigration into Palestine just before the start of the war.

"Had Great Britain not imposed this cruel policy," McCormack said, "Palestine would have been available for hundreds of thousands, perhaps more than one million homeless Jews seeking to escape from Germany."

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Vets' School Being Eyed By Educators

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Educators throughout the Nation are showing interest in the District veterans' high school center at Central, which this week enrolled its eighty-third veteran.

Attendance is now more than three times what it was the first day, September 17, and only two have withdrawn since that time.

Recent visitors to classes, which operate on laboratory methods, permitting veterans to progress as fast as they are able, include educators from Ohio State University, Lacrosse, Wis.; Cincinnati, Ohio, and the Marine Corps Institute.

Students include a man with mechanical drawing experience who in four weeks' time completed the equivalent of eight semesters in that field, credits to be applied toward a high school diploma; a former Wave who is taking three English classes, all toward a diploma from Grafton High School in West Virginia, and a 37-year-old former Wac.

At Dunbar High School for Negroes, 23 veterans attend regular high school classes under supervision of James E. Saunders, adviser.

He agrees with Dr. Robert G. Vanderlip, Central superviser, who states that veterans are diligent and enxious to finish high school—"they need it so much."

Locke in Chungking

Chungking, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Edwin A. Locke, personal representative of President Truman, arrived in Chungking today.

Frederick Hess, 72, captain of the guard at the District Building, will retire at the end of this month. A member of the guard force for 16 years and its captain for more than 10 years, Hess lives with his wife and daughter at 5401 13th st. nw.

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Act to Banish Optometry Fraud Sought

From Yesterday's Late Editions

A proposed new optometry act, designed to "rid the city of unscrupulous optometrists who fleece their customers," will be submitted to the Congress today by the District Commissioners.

Corporation counsel officials who prepared the draft of legislation said ethics of the optometry trade would be raised to those of learned professions.

A firm which offers such "bait" advertisements as "the best eyeglasses in town complete for $5 would lose its license under the proposed new act, Assistant Corporation Counsel Hubert Pair explained. Like doctors and lawyers, optometrists would not be allowed to flaunt prices, terms of payment or professional superiority, he said.

A fine as high as $500 could be levied against the optometrist who sells substandard quality lenses without telling his customer.

The bill also would require that an optometrist practice independently or under another licensed optometrist. This is aimed at reducing a purely profit incentive, Pair said.

The proposed legislation would repeal an existing act which has remained unchanged since 1924. It was drawn up following hundreds of complaints from persons who have been given defective glasses after they were lured by advertisements of low prices, Pair pointed out. He said that in many cases customers complain they have been asked to pay higher prices after examinations were completed.

More protection is promised not only for the general public but also for the duly registered and licensed optometrists themselves, District officials maintained.

While standards for licensing remain the same, the right to suspend or revoke licenses is taken out of the hands of the District Board of Optometry and given to District Court.

Russia to Pay Lend-Lease Bill In 30 Years

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The United States and the Soviet Union have signed a formal agreement covering the terms of Russian purchase of approximately 400 million dollars' worth of lend-lease goods, including everything which was in procurement for the Soviet war effort at the termination of lend-lease aid, it was learned yesterday.

Lieut. Gen. Leonid G. Rudenko, chief of the Russian Supply Mission, signed for the Soviet Union, and Leo T. Crowley, as administrator of the lend-lease administration, for the United States.

The Soviet Union thus obligated itself to pay for the supplies on the basis of yearly installments extending over a 30-year period, with interest at 2⅜ per cent, an arrangement authorized by clause 3C of the Lend-Lease Act.

The Russians had made repeated efforts during the last two and a half months to obtain delivery of the goods before committing themselves to an ironclad agreement as to terms. American officials steadfastly refused to subscribe to such a procedure, however, withholding shipments until the Soviet officials accepted a written agreement.

The Chinese government, it also was learned, has agreed in principle to accept all the $64,000,000 in wartime supplies which were on order for the Chungking regime on the same terms.

Simultaneous exchange with the British over an estimated $400,000,000 in items which had been requested by the United Kingdom have not yet been completed.

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Anti-Semitism Charged to Group By Speaker Here

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Dr. Eli Cooper of the B'nai B'rith Anti-Defamation Committee, last night charged that a group in America has recognized anti-Semitism as a very powerful weapon to enable it to seize control in this country and is using it as the Nazis did to build up a third party.

Addressing a meeting on Racism and its Manifestations in American Life Today, sponsored by the Washington Chapter of the Conference on Jewish Relations in the Jewish Community Center, he described the group as "a very dangerous" one.

America must remain eternally alert, he stated, because mob psychology is such that violence could sweep like a prairie fire across the country and the holocaust of Europe could be repeated here.

Capt. Andrews to Speak

Capt. Marshall Andrews, former Washington Post writer, will address the regular monthly meeting of the District Rainbow Division Veterans Friday night at the National Press Club. Captain Andrews has served with the division since its reactivation in July, 1942.

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LONG, LAST LOOK—Joe Foss, former Marine major who was the first American flier to tie Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker's record of 26 downed enemy planes, takes a last look at a fighter plane as he leaves the Marine Air Station near Santa Barbara, Calif., as a civilian. He plans to take an automobile tour of the country with his wife and year-old daughter

Church Admonished to Avoid Any Compromise With World

By Robert Tate Allan

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Speakers at two religious parleys here yesterday called upon the church to avoid compromising with the world.

Dr. Alfred K. Boerger, executive secretary of the Lutheran Orient Mission of the American Lutheran Church, addressing sessions of the Southeastern District of the Missouri Lutheran Synod at Christ Lutheran Church, 16th and Gallatin sts. nw., declared:

"There is a temptation to maintain our power by compromising with the existing political and social order. The most crucial problem in our day, as in the early days of the church, is the temptation to submit to state demands for supreme and absolute loyalty in order to avoid suffering and persecution."

Delegates from the District, Maryland, Virginia, Georgia, North and South Carolina and Delaware are attending the three-day sessions which opened yesterday.

Disciples Meet Here

Washington area Disciples of Christ members, meeting at Columbia Heights Christian Church, 1435 Park rd. nw., heard Dr. J. Warren Hastings, pastor of National City Christian Church, declare:

"Because many of our churches lack a basic conviction, many of our so-called best folks are serving liquor, because they think it is the thing to do."

"We keep passing the buck, and because everyone else is doing it we want to get in the swim. We have not the courage to stand on our two feet and say, 'Brother, I have convictions and I won't go to town with you.'".

Dr. Hastings' remarks came during the open discussion at the afternoon meeting.

The invocation was offered at last night's turkey dinner by Lieut. Herschell H. Richmond, a Navy chaplain who was injured by a mortar shell in the invasion of Iwo Jima. He is recuperating at Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Petworth Homecoming

Former pastors and former members were honored guests at last night's homecoming service—a feature of the fortieth anniversary celebration of Petworth Methodist Church, Grant Circle. Dr. John C. Millian is present pastor.

The past ministers were the Rev. Samuel E. Rose, now of Waugh Methodist Church; the Rev. William A. Haggerty, retired minister; the Rev. Robert L. Wood and the Rev. Frank Steelman, both of whom are now in Baltimore. Three ministers who were raised in Petworth Church brought greetings. They were the Rev. Edgar Beckett, the Rev. Robert Hiller and the Rev. D. Stewart Patterson.

Church Briefs

Secretary of War Patterson and Secretary of the Navy Forrestal will address a luncheon of the General Commission on Army and Navy Chaplains today at 12:30 p. m. at the Statler Hotel . . . The new parsonage of the Marvin Memorial Methodist Church, Silver Spring, will be dedicated today at 7:30 p. m.

Washington Was Well Behaved During War, Police Disclose

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Despite the increase of population and the thousands of transient servicemen Washington was "unusually well-behaved" for the war period, Col. Edward J. Kelly, chief of police said yesterday.

At the same time he predicted a continued decrease in crime here in the postwar period.

Unlike nearly every other American city over a 500,000 population, wartime crime in Washington has shown no increase, he said. In fact the number of arrests made here in the 1945 fiscal year was 5 per cent less than 1944.

Sees Less Crime

Colonel Kelly expects an even greater reduction in larceny, murders and other felonies this year on four counts:

1. Military training has made both civilians and policemen better disciplined. And contrary to popular belief, District police figures show that "trained-to-kill" service men have not become more "trigger-happy." In 1940 there were 54 murders here. Last year 53 murders were committed.

2. There are no longer any organized vice and gambling operators in the District, after the 649 arrests made by Oscar J. Letterman's vice squad in the last two months.

3. The Metropolitan Police School just opened with a class of 35 young policemen, the majority of whom are former servicemen. Colonel Kelly feels that they have gained invaluable background in the armed forces.

4. Four additional detective scout cars were put on 24-hour during the war and they will remain in service indefinitely.

Inspector Robert J. Barrett, chief of the police detective bureau, said pocketbook snatching was the only vice which became more prevalent in wartime. He attributes this to the greater number of transient service people who passed through Washington.

"Those who think there has been a crime increase in war years lay it to the drafting of 17 and 18-year-old men," he said. "But this, too, is a falsehood because the Army and Navy did not accept the young bad actors with records."

With the police force nearly back at prewar strength and the war years successfully surmounted, police officials are confident crime of all kinds will continue to show a marked decrease.

Harry D. Anheier is to be supervising agent of the United States Secret Service in Chicago, effective November 1, it was announced today. Anheier has been supervising agent in Washington since July, 1944. He lives at 802 N. Wayne st., Arlington.

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Airport Aid To Be Sought For District

From Yesterday's Late Editions

A provision insuring the District of Columbia a part in the 700 million dollars 10-year Federal-aid airport program was suggested yesterday by Representative Carl Stefan (R., Nebr.) of the Appropriations Subcommittee on District Affairs, as the measure was debated in the House.

The proposal was taken up by Representatvie Jennings Randolph (D., W. Va.), chairman of the House District Committee, who said he would introduce a measure on the subject.

Stefan observed that no reference was made in the bill to the District, although specific sums had been allowed for the other United States territories.

Members of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, which reported on the bill, explained that Washington was included in its provisions as a "municipality" of the United States, any of which would be allowed to negotiate with the Federal Government to share the cost of an airport.

Postlude

By Ray C. B. Brown

From Yesterday's Late Editions

St. Patrick's Church held a large audience last evening when Gene Stewart played the first recital on the recently rebuilt parish organ. His program, excellently arranged to display the tonal qualities and color combinations of the instrument, was well worth hearing for pure enjoyment of its musical content. He began with the variegated and brilliant first movement from Widor's fifth symphony, which was performed with marked technical skill, and passed at once to the quietude and serenity of Boellmann's Canzona in the Dorian mode as transmuted by Gregorian usage, a piece conducive to the meditation of a mystic.

Bach's Fantasia and "Great" G minor Fugue was given a powerful and resplendent performance, and another contrast was provided in the succeeding "Clair De Lune" by Vierne that relies mainly on the flute stop for its impression of softened tints and cool atmosphere. Next came one of the best-known Allegrettos in the world, the tropping little tune by Giovanni Battista ("Padre") Martini, the Franciscan monk-musician who numbered Mozart, Gluck and Gretry among his pupils.

A well-mixed palette was used in painting the descriptive piece, "Up the Saguenay" from Alexander Russell's "St. Lawrence Sketches," which a vivid pictorial quality. Stewart's own "Nocturne" proved to be a beautifully scored mood with the melodic line running through richly textured harmonies. The recital ended with the soaring sonorities and triumphal proclamations of the Finale in B flat from Franck's "Six Pieces for Great Organ."

After the recital, the mixed choir of the church intoned Franck's settin gof Psalm CL which was followed by the Benediction of the Blessed Secrament.

Thatcher Heads Mayflower Kin For 7th Time

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Maurice Thatcher last night was elected to the post of governor of the Descendants of the Mayflower in the District for the seventh consecutive term.

At its annual meeting at 1227 16th st. nw., the descendants of the Pilgrim company heard Brig. Gen. Bradford G. Chynoweth describe his experiences as a Japanese prisoner. General Chynoweth served under Major General Wainwright on Bataan.

Other officers elected were: deputy governor, Wales C. Brewster; captain, Meredith B. Colket, jr.; elder, Mrs. William Theophilus; secretary, Miss Mabel A. Barkley; assistant secretary, Dr. Edson L. Whitney; treasurer, Mrs. Georgia T. Reed; historian, Mrs. W. Sherman Walker; librarian, Miss Minnie S. Sutherland; and surgeon, Dr. Harry Ford Anderson.

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Realty Owners Organize To Save Values

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Private real estate interests made another move in their campaign against public housing here last night with the formation of the National Real Estate Foundation, described as a "research" organization representing "millions of small property owners."

Arthur W. Binns, Philadelphia, was named temporary chairman of the group in an all-day session at the Hotel Statler. Aims of the organization were explained to representative Congressmen at a dinner meeting last ngiht.

Fifty persons attended yesterday's sessions. The group ultimately expects in include 300 "trustees" representing all 48 States. The Foundation is intended to be a "prospective $500,000 research organization."

Foundation spokesmen said they will work to "foster, maintain and protect private ownership of homes, farms and other real property and promote sound housing." They said they will represent the interests of millions of small property owners and fight public housing.

The Foundation, they declared, will work to "protect, endow and assist investigation of real estate taxation, improved methods of real estate financing, methods and practices in the control and regulation of real property ownership and management, and the periodic, cyclical and other factors involved in appreciation or depreciation of real estate values."

Myron Davy, local builder, is treasurer, and N. C. Hines is executive director. Among the trustees are Herbert U. Nelson, executive vice president, National Association of Real Estate Boards; Joseph H. Deckman, local wholesale building and supply dealer; Lewis T. Breuninger, past president, Washington Real Estate Board; Morris Cafritz, president, Home Builders Association of Metropolitan Washington, and Bruce Baird, president, National Savings & Trust Co.

The Foundation was incorporated by Breuninger, Davy and Deckman.

Last Words

Laval Penned Protest On Hasty Death

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Paris, Oct. 16 (AP).—A written protest by Pierre Laval against the haste of his impending execution was revealed today, as a published report said Gen. de Gaulle personally ordered the execution carried out without delay yesterday after Laval's unsuccessful suicide attempt.

De Gaulle's order was reported by Liberation, the leading resistance newspaper in Paris.

Laval's protest, written the day before his execution and shown to the Associated Press today by a defense attorney, was in the form of a last public statement. It was entitled "During the Death Watch."

Wanted Pen Silenced

Penned in his own handwriting on two sheets of stationery, Laval wrote that the rapidity with which his execution was being prepared was to silence his pen following his protests that his trial had been conducted to silence his voice. He concluded by saying, however, that he preferred execution to imprisonment.

The text of Laval's last statement:

"It is not enough to keep me from speaking, I had to be kept from writing, too. Why eliminate me so quickly, since I already was chained and in prison? Nothing, nonetheless, will prevent the French from understanding it was desired to hide something from them.

"I feared nothing from a delay. I had asked for the official (his request at the trial that the full minutes be published in the government's official journal) so that the French might know the nature of the charges and my replies—I was refused it.

"They know now that it was desired to hide the truth from them. France is not liberated because it is not desired that she know the truth.

"I was afraid of nothing and I would have taken apart and destroyed all the charges retained—I would have knocked down the evil legends one by one. I have always been fought by lies (these words Laval underlined)—and I would have knocked down the lies.

"My image, distorted to make me hated, would have given way to a man who shows his face uncovered. (Here Laval inserted: And whom my opponents know well.) That is whom they fear and whose voice they wanted to extinguish.

Fought for People

"I have been represented as sly, as tricky, whereas I always have fought with the unspoiled and simple intelligence of a son of the people. I always have been represented as an enemy of the people whereas those who knew me knew it was they I defended.

"I am going to sleep the eternal sleep. My conscience is at peace. Regrets will torment (here Laval inserted: perhaps) those who not knowing me sullied and tortured me. They will overwhelm (inserted: certainly some day) those who have murdered me. I pity them more than I hate them, for the hatred which inspired them has never lodged in my heart.

"I weep for my family whom I have made suffer.

"I hope for my country. I love the happiness and freedom which have been stolen from her. She will find them again some day with a different spirit and with different leaders.

"I await and will receive death with calm for my soul will survive. I prefer death to chains."

The statement was signed with the initials "P. L."

Jap Commandant Put in Solitary

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Shanghai, Oct. 16 (AP).—Rear Admiral Minoro Katsuno, commandant of the Japanese marine barracks at Shanghai, was sentenced today to serve two months solitary confinement for refusal to reveal the identity of the Japanese marine who fired a shot which seriously wounded an American sailor on a destroyer September 30.

Bernard H. Fischgrund, president of B'nai B'rith addressed the Akiba Club of the Adas Israel Synagogue last night on the subject, "The Defense Mechanism."

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John L. Lewisite

This is the story of lewisite, the gas that destroys mind, not matter:

1. Shortly after the coal strike began, on September 21, when there were only a few men out, John L. Lewis indicated that the strike was spontaneous, since the foremen's union was autonomous. Mr. Lewis assured the operators that he was trying desperately to persuade the men to go back on their jobs.

2. The invisible strike of miners as well as foremen began to spread so rapidly that Mr. Lewis got his desire and was called in by the Administration. The date was October 6. In summarizing the talks, Secretary Schwellenbach said that Mr. Lewis took the position that, as an international organization, the United Mine Workers was not responsible for the current walkouts, which were voluntary in each locality, and "were caused by the controversy of the UMW affiliate, the United Clerical, Technical and Supervisory Workers Union," namely, the foremen's union. The Secretary quoted the UMW boss as saying "I didn't send them out, and I'm not going to order them back."

3. On October 16 Mr. Lewis told the newsmen "We are locked out," and added it was obvious "that the miners are idle because of the obstinacy of the operators."

4. Yesterday Mr. Lewis ordered men back to work, and his spokesman, Mr. K. C. Adams, explained "obviously the Government has failed to settle the matter. Obviously the action (ordering the men back to work) is taken in the public interest."

Thus Mr. Lewis, in the public interest, ends a strike he couldn't end, first, because he had no control over it, and, second, because it was a lockout. We had to wait for the piping days of peace for the gas attack that never came in the war. The casualties? An Administration reduced to fiddling, a groggy public, and the loss of 15 million tons of coal, or 3 per cent of the estimated production this year.

Wartime Excises

Some members of the Senate Finance Committee doubt the wisdom of reducing the wartime excise rates to the 1942 level at the end of next June, as recommended by the Treasury and approved by the House. That was evident from the character of the questions posed in the course of the current hearings on the emergency tax bill. A strong case undoubtedly can be made out for keeping these wartime duties in effect until the end of the calendar year 1946. By then Congress presumably will have completed work on a general tax program of a comprehensive character which would provide for much needed revision of the tax laws. Meanwhile, emergency tax legislation had best be confined to changes considered essential to expediting reconversion activities.

At the moment it is not necessary—indeed, it is not desirable—to stimulate consumer buying of liquors, furs, jewelry, perfume, theater and railway tickets by lowering excise rates. With a considerable proportion of the people in possession of abnormally large amounts of cash, wartime excise taxes now and for some time to come will act as a salutary brake on nonessential spending, and help to prevent overcrowding of places of amusement and congestion of transport and communications facilities. Moreover, the 547 million dollars of revenue that would be lost during the last six months of 1946 by the reduction of wartime excise rates after June 30 next provides another good reason in favor of delay. For the Treasury needs all the receipts it can get to offset continuing colossal deficits. And the sum in question, if left in the hands of taxpayers, would not afford very substantial consumer buying support for basic industries in the throes of reconversion.

The Treasury has, nevertheless, advanced a strong argument in favor of setting a definite date for reductions in wartime excise rates. Under existing law, those rates will automatically revert to 1942 levels approximately six months after termination of hostilities, as specified by the President or by concurrent resolution of Congress. Since there is no way of guessing the date of termination, the businesses concerned are highly disturbed by the present uncertainty. Consequently to allay their anxiety and enable them to plan for the future, a definite date should be set on which reductions will become effective—preferably the end of 1946 rather than the end of the fiscal year 1946.

Astir With The Atom

Representative May has been doing some handsprings of late on the question of reopening the hearings of his military committee on atomic power. Perhaps the prospect that the special Senate committee intends to be hospitable to all scientists has prompted his latest decision to reopen his doors. We are left to wonder, in view of his past performances, whom he will admit, and for how long. This is a problem that requires intensive as well as extensive light. And, if the War Department is in a hurry to get action, we suggest that Mr. May and his committee recommend a quickie law authorizing the War Department to continue atomic research, pending the findings of both the House and the Senate committees. Such a procedure would remove the spur that seems to have produced the haste in Mr. May which has aroused the country. It would also give his committee a chance to read the basic document on the matter, to wit, the Smyth report, which some of the members, we understand, haven't even heard of.

We sympathize with the War Department in its anxiety to see some system set up by Congress. It is its job to keep up the research work into the cosmic forces that the scientists freed when they set off the historic explosion in New Mexico. However, many of the scientists who have been enrolled in atomic development have developed an itch to get back to their civilian pursuits; like the soldiers, they are impatient to be demobilized. Quite a few of them, in point of fact, have left the official service. If the War Department got a quickie law, then it might persuade some of the departing scientists to stay on the job. The main thing, however, is that all the facts and implications of what General Marshall called the "terrifying" new weapon should be made available to the public through the medium of scientific testimony. The scientists are eager to be heard, and, we fancy, what they say will dash the inexpert testimony in the adjoining naval committee, as Dr. Vannevar Bush already has done, that a defense has been created against the atom bomb. Originally this notion, it is said, came from a laboratory in California in which Bing Crosby has an interest. The public is not in the mood to accept the say-so of any witnesses who have not been checked by the atomic scientists.

The public, in point of fact, seems already to be anticipating a scientific verdict that there is no military defense against the atom bomb. Most of the discussion in the country at large, as a consequence, is confined to ways and means of bringing the political set-up of the world abreast of the physical facts. In other words, how can we make the world really one? A private conference of 50 publicists in Dublin, N. H., the latest of a series of similar get-togethers throughout the country, have voted for "a world federal government, after consultation with the other members of the United Nations, either by proposing drastic amendments of the present United Nations Charter or by calling a new world constitutional convention." To be sure, there was a minority of five against the resolution, but four of them were members of Federal Union, which is committed to a "nuclear union" composed of the democracies. As an idea, a federalized world has commended itself to the President himself, who at Kansas City on July 4, spoke of the need for "a republic of the world." With the advent of the atomic bomb, ideal has now become solution, and the fact that the minds of men are astir with the new challenge cannot be overlooked in Congress.

Nisei Troops

The magnificent record made by Japanese-American troops in the Italian campaign has long been known to the public. But it was only after VJ-Day that the curtain was finally lifted on the exploits of Nisei in the Pacific theater. Indeed, for a long time, and no doubt for sound military reasons, the Army took the greatest precautions to prevent any leakage of information that would inform the enemy of the presence in the American Army ranks of soldiers of Japanese ancestry. Thus, when some time ago *The Post* published George Connery's series of articles on Merrill's Marauders, all references to the invaluable intelligence work performed by Nisei in the Burma campaign were screened out. Now Allied headquarters in Tokyo has disclosed the existence of a highly secret United States Army unit made up principally of Japanese-Americans who operated so skillfully on Pacific battlefields that often it learned even the telephone numbers of Japanese billets.

It was this unit to which were turned over captured enemy documents, with the result that sometimes the information thus acquired was put to effective use within 20 minutes. Altogether around two million enemy documents were classified by the translator and interpreter section, 20 million pages of translations were made, and thousands of prisoners were interrogated. These documents ranged all the way from battle orders and maps showing the location of barracks to the issue and dosage of malaria preventives for certain Japanese regiments. Discussing the work of these Japanese-Americans, their commander, Col. Sidney F. Mashbir, a D. C. resident, has this to say: "No group in the war had as much to lose. Capture would have meant indescribable horror to them and their relatives in Japan. They are worthy, as individuals and as a group, of the highest possible praise for their invaluable contribution to the success of Allied arms." We hope the Californian newspapers will note this record.

Prosthetic

It will come with pained surprise to the American people that so little preparation was made for the men who came back from the wars as amputees. No basic improvements in artificial limbs have been made in this country for 50 years. In this respect all modern nations are in advance of ours. Now that the war is over, and there are almost 15,000 amputees, the Veterans' Administration has waked up to the responsibiiity at its door. It has decided that the improvement of prosthetic devices is a problem in engineering, not orthopedic surgery, and $500,000 has been allocated in contracts to some of the foremost engineering concerns. The action has put heart into amputees who have hitherto been fobbed off with appliances that kept them out of commission. The prospect now shines ahead that 15,000 men will be brought back to health and strength and economic independence.

Not one of the amputees we have talked to wants to go through life as a permanent casualty. All they want is evidence that their Government has their interests at heart sufficiently to make them new men again. The problem should be approached from a psychological as well as an engineering standpoint. Men who lose an arm or a leg have at first to battle with a mental illness as well as a physical deprivation. In these circumstances there should be flexibility in treatment. For instance, an amputee should be allowed to have the kind of appurtenance he likes, made of metal, wood, fiber or plastic as his fancy desires. But the main thing is that he is likely soon to get an arm or a leg that will function like the real article. Perhaps money for research is not enough. It may be that we ought to ask the Russians for orders for their amputees so that we can make the business big enough to spur improvement. For the reason improvement has been nonexistent in the past is that the making of artificial limbs has been small business scattered throughout the country in little establishments.

Hemorrhage

It is curious that while hearings are being held on the Magnuson bill for support of scientific education, the bloodletting of our potential scientific talent is still going on. Young men in such fields as radar and jet propulsion are being drafted as if the problem that the Magnuson bill seeks to tackle did not exist. Some of the young men who are now being swept up were so valuable that they were deferred throughout the war. The theory seems to be that now the war is over their services are no longer valuable, and they ought to do duty in police work in Japan or Germany. This is certainly not the theory of proponents of the Magnuson bill, which seeks to aid young men of "proved scientific ability." The necessity for this bill has been seen in the need to make up for the wastage of potential scientific brains throughout the war. However, if the bill is passed, support might be available for students who in the meantime have been put in uniform.

The argument of the Army and the Selective Service authorities is twofold. In the first place, it is said that peacetime deferrals would constitute discrimination and might therefore be a boomerang in a democracy where equality of treatment before the law is the rule. The other argument is that discrimination is a problem for the political authorities. Granted the difficulty, discrimination in this case is necessitated by the national interest, and if the administrative authorities do not wish to risk it, Congress should take up the matter. At least the committee in charge of the Magnuson bill should inquire into conditions which are undermining what they are seeking to promote. The deficit in scientific education will be compounded instead of relieved by the continuance of a policy which would undo everything that the Magnuson bill would try to do.

FALL LULLABY

Now along the bleakening sky
the birds pursue their summer.
They go, the early go, the shy latecomer . . .
Hush, child, you are no bird to fly
after him loved more than summer.
Hush, lullaby.

He went where birds are fierce or none
over gray moving hills. Now, lullaby.
He will bring you rhymes and tales
of fishes leaping in the sun,
of passages of whales.
Now, lullaby. Hush, lullaby.
The demons rose up from the deep;
on keel of love each demon fails.
He lies as safe as you in sleep.
Hush, lullaby.

Now along the bleakening sky
the anxious birds take flight,
who fear a frosty hood, who fear owl's night.
Hush, child. Like a kite to fly
he soon will hand you spring green-bright.
Hush, lullaby.

ALICE MONKS MEARS

Postwar Fiddling

By Malvina Lindsay

Atomic Social Pace

TO AN INVITED GUEST: My party for next week is off. Instead I am asking you to a meeting at the same time and place to talk over what we are going to do about the next war.

That may seem a crude way of putting it if your mind is tuned to postwar escapism, or if you are happily confident "they" are going to do something about everything. I am not a defeatist or a jingo. But, as you must know, the recent depressing series of events have brought us to a crisis as great as that after Pearl Harbor. They indicate we are turning impotently and fatalistically down the road to the Third World War.

If we are to make a last ditch effort to reverse this tide, we have no time to spend nibbling olives or exchanging chit-chat. Right now any frittering away of American intelligence and energy is as dangerous as a waste of food. The White House has shown the good sense and the good taste to postpone formal entertaining until after December 1 because of human bereavements and food shortage. I for one wish all pretentious entertainment might be postponed indefinitely to drive home to the American people that these days are as serious as when Japan was island hopping in the Pacific or the Battle of the Bulge was on in Belgium.

OUR PERIL DOES not lie alone in tangible happenings. The atom bomb (from which we are hiding our heads in the sand), the failure of the London conference, General Marshall's report (reflecting the military's stark acceptance that man is again failing at civilized living), the winter's promise of starvation in Europe (which we are lackadaisically piling on our consciences), the widespread ignorance about the British loan (and its implication for our future economic state), the grabbing by nations of war loot (spheres of influence), the widening gulf of misunderstanding and suspicion between us and the Soviet Union, our weak-kneed efforts to grapple with our unemployment problem—all are grave enough. But added to them is the developing mood of postwar letdown and irresponsibility.

To be frank, it begins to look as if we in America would muff our second chance. It begins to look as if we must have another and far more horrible testing before we are fit to lead the way out of Egypt. But it is also possible the leadership next time will be out of our hands.

One reason we must jerk ourselves out of this slaphappy, life as usual mood is that the rest of the world is surging with serious ambition. The Russians, after four years of suffering and sacrifice, are continuing their war pace in the rebuilding of their nation. Soldiers home after years of arduous combat are told when discharged they must labor in field and factory as vigorously for the state as they fought for it on the battlefield. China is astir with the urge to work, study, learn. England, depleted and exhausted, is starting in on another era of austerity and continuing its war controls for five more years. In Mexico the cry is "Everyone teach one." In such a world are we to be the revelers before Waterloo?

ALSO, DISQUIETING reports come from occupied Germany of our inefficacy in military rule and civil administration. "Get it over and get home" is too much the motto abroad. For that attitude we at home are largely to blame. Ghosts of the 20's are again stalking and whispering to us to relax and to forget.

It is this gathering mood we must stem, you and I and everyone who can see even a few inches beyond the gadget advertisements. What can we do, a few little people with a few little orbits of contact? We can help in all we say, do and think to set the social tone of the 40's and even the 50's on a plane of maturity. We can devote our thought, our speech, our energy toward making all Americans we meet realize they have been set down in the years of the world's Great Decision, and that this is no time for thoughtless or trival living.

During the war years you and I, as we shuddered at the black headlines of death, often harked back in memory to the 30's. Time and again we asked ourselves, "Why didn't we do something? Why didn't we write letters, make speeches, hold meetings, mount soapboxes, get down on our knees?" Time and again we thought "If it were only to do over again . . ." Now we have the chance we asked for. What are we going to do with it?

Change Trolley Color

There would appear to be one way to decrease the number of accidents in Washington which involve streetcars and either autos or pedestrians.

The present colors of the so-called streamlined streetcars, green and gray, blend into the terrain in a manner which makes it difficult for a person, in the exercise of reasonable care, to estimate correctly either the speed of an approaching streetcar or the approximate distance the streetcar is from a pedestrian or an automobile. A different and more striking color for the streetcars might avoid some, at least, of the numerous accidents occurring on the highways.

EDWARD A. McLAUGHLIN.
Washington, Oct. 12.

Reminder To Britain

By Barnet Nover

Labor Government And Palestine

IN THE COURSE of the House of Commons debate in May, 1939, on the Chamberlain government's White Paper proposing that all further Jewish immigration into Palestine be stopped after March, 1944, Winston Churchill made an observation whose validity is fully as great today as it was then.

"As one intimately and responsibly concerned in the earlier stages of our Palestine policy," said Churchill, "I could not stand by and see solemn engagements into which Britain has entered before the world set aside for reasons of administrative convenience or—and it will be a vain hope—for the sake of a quiet life."

The White Paper, added Churchill, was "an act of repudiation," a violation both of the pledge embodied in the Balfour Declaration and of the conditions under which Great Britain had obtained the League of Nations mandate over Palestine.

NOW, AS in 1939, in the heyday of that policy of appeasement which brought Great Britain to the very edge of ruin, the British government finds it necessary to decide what its Palestine policy is to be. And once again what Churchill called reasons of administrative convenience and the hope of a quiet life appear to be outweighing, in the minds of the policy-makers, the dictates of principle and the demands of conscience.

It happens that, no less than Churchill, the British Laborites were bitter critics of the White Paper policy. They spoke out not once but repeatedly against that policy.

For instance, Herbert Morrison, now one of the three principal pillars of the Attlee government, is on record as having denounced the White Paper as "a cynical breach of the pledges given the Jews and the world, including America." And a Labor Party manifesto issued in the course of the recent political campaign declared:

"There is surely neither hope nor meaning in a Jewish national home, unless we are prepared to let the Jews, if they wish to, enter this tiny land in such numbers as to become a majority. There was a strong case for this before the war. There is an irresistible case now after the unspeakable atrocities of the cold and calculated German Nazi plan to kill all Jews of Europe.

HOW PERILOUSLY close that monstrous plan came to succeeding all the world knows.

Millions of Jews were slaughtered by the Nazis, some of them who would have found refuge in Palestine had there been no White Paper restrictions on immigration. Of the remnant that survived Hitler's firing squads and gas chambers, there is, according to Earl G. Harrison, President Truman's investigator, something like 100,000 European Jews who must immediately be allowed to find haven in Palestine if they are to survive.

Prime Minister Attlee's reply to President Truman's strong recommendation that the doors of Palestine be opened wide to the survivors of Hitler's hangmen and executioners has not yet been made public. There are persistent rumors, however, that the British Labor government is now unwilling to carry out the very program its members had so ardently espoused when they were in the opposition.

Chamberlain may be dead; the Parliament that approved the White Paper policy was repudiated at the polls; the powerful excuse that obtained in wartime, namely, that nothing should be done to complicate the military task, disappeared with the end of the war. But so far as Palestine is concerned the French proverb tragically applies: The more things change, the more they are the same.

THE REASON for the Attlee government's reluctance to repudiate the White Paper policy and all it stands for is that such action would meet with Arab opposition.

But as the late Lord Wedgwood said in commenting on the policy pursued by Great Britain in Palestine for many years: "The Arabs are an excuse, not a reason."

There is as little reason for Great Britain to fear the Arabs as to be grateful to them.

In 1940 and 1941, when Great Britain was facing invasion and Britain's hold on Suez hung by a thread, the attitude toward the Allies of the states now members of the Arab League ranged from irritated indifference to ill-concealed opposition.

One important Arab leader, the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem, escaped to Rome and from there and Berlin openly played Hitler's game. He is now under arrest as a war criminal. But he is still a hero to some of those who speak for the Arabs. Thus the president of the Lebanese Political Party Union has been making strong representations to Washington and London to bring about the traitor's release.

In fact, the only corner of the Middle East where Great Britain could at all times during the war be certain of unquestioned loyalty and ardent support was in Palestine, and more particularly that part of Palestine represented by that same Jewish National Home that successive British governments had sought to crib, cabin and confine.

Had Great Britain in the '20s and '30s more actively carried out her pledges regarding Palestine, her plight in the Middle East during the war might not have become as parlous as it did. During the '20s and '30s, however, British statesmanship lacked vision, understanding and, above all, courage. British statesmanship never needed those qualities more than now, and nowhere more than in Palestine.

Letters To The Editor

Communications must carry writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the editor's discretion. Letters should be held to not more than 200 words. They are subject to condensation.

Hole At The Top

The type of men spoken for so ably by Henry Atterlee would be only contemplatively interesting were they not so obviously sincere. As it is, they represent the potential intellectual leadership of a revolution—and economic disaster—unless they can be headed off by straight-thinking, noninterested third parties.

Mr. Atterlee's letter goes along well until he suddenly falls into the rabble-rouser's hopeless cry: *The Post* wants to crack down on labor, not because labor's demands are unjust, but precisely because its demands spring from just grievances . . ."

This is so patently futile a statement that it admits of no intelligent refutation. For, just as our personal stake is so great in the United States civilian army that we can no longer take our pre-1942 attitude that all soldiers are cheap common hoodlums, so have we such an interest in laborers as people and as a class as to preclude any desire or intention to sublimate them. Mr. Atterlee has, in short, a martyr complex.

And Mr. Atterlee's juggling of figures to "prove" that labor is being shackled while capital is reaping a fortune is merely another example of the reactionary's wont to create confusion and strife. No one can rightly deny that the war-time tax provisions of the Government have been—and are—aimed directly at the cutting down or preventing of excess profits on the part of capital and management. These provisions have been greatly successful. It is, indeed, labor itself which has assumed the whip-hand in economic affairs, and it is labor which today holds the balance in our national fight to stave off inflation.

If labor's new and ridiculous wage demands are met by capital, whether under Government direction or not, the tide of inflation will roll in complete abandon. For even such as Mr. Atterlee must realize that once wages are raised, prices will follow (he has three years of evidence), and our so-well-preserved standard of economy—the one real monument to the late President's ability—will topple as have those of every other nation in the world.

We in this country have one chance left to prove that democracy is the best hope of mankind—and that hope is to die shortly, unless we can show the totalitarian minded peoples of the world that peace and economy can be preserved and regulated to the best interests of all by an enlightened and self-governing majority. But the pitched battles of grasping unioneers and weak-minded pickets can never pass in Europe's or Asia's eyes for American solidarity.

If Mr. Atterlee worries about unemployment, let him urge strikers and pickets back to work. Let him urge cooperation with capital, whose obvious best interest lies in creating more employment. (In this connection, should Mr. Atterlee quote figures on the attitudes of pre-1930 capitalists, let me remind him that human nature has come a long way since then.) And if Mr. Atterlee worries over a "tax program that spares the rich and soaks the poor," let him explain the difference between the per cent of tax he paid on his income last year and the per cent of tax paid by a man who earned $100,000.

Truly, we are getting tired of labor leader's unjust and budget-wrecking demands, and are already fed up with the whining of their unofficial spokesmen.

SERGT. JOHN DENSFORD.
Hq. Co., Army Ground Forces.
Washington, Oct. 16.

'Star Chamber Toy'

Your view in your editorial on October 12 that we need to go carefully in establishing a policy in regard to atomic power seems both timely and sound.

For example, in discussion which has appeared in the press, one basic aspect of this problem appears to have been overlooked. That is the question of how many and which other nations may be expected, within the next few years, to have the industrial power, the techniques and the economic resources, necessary to produce atomic bombs. The answer to that question depends to a considerable extent upon whether new processes of making the bomb are likely to be much less complex and costly.

Questions such as these, which can be answered only on the basis of expert knowledge, appear fundamental to a sound decision on this problem.

LIVINGSTON HARTLEY.
Washington, Oct. 12.

Public Will Strike

There is going to be another strike. This will be by the public against our present lawmakers unless they can overcome their fear of losing votes, and outlaw all strikes. The unions have so abused the privilege that they should lose it.

E. M. C. R.
Arlington, Va., Oct. 10.

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Labor Legislation

WHEN IT COMES to finding a remedy for our defective and deficient collective bargaining machinery, the various pressure groups in the industrial field begin pulling in different directions.

The most drastic proposal before Congress is the Ball-Burton-Hatch bill, which would put in a system of compulsory arbitration enforceable against both employers and employes. It places primary responsibility on Government for orderly industrial relations.

In its present form the bill has little or no chance of passage. This is not alone because of the opposition of labor to what has been denounced as a "straight-jacket system" that would virtually end all freedom on both sides of the industrial divide.

NEITHER THE NATIONAL Association of Manufacturers nor the United States Chamber of Commerce has offered any support for the B-B-H bill. Recently the NAM reaffirmed its opposition to compulsory arbitration, and the chamber of commerce is likewise opposed to a compulsory system.

Deeply disturbed by what seems to be a threat to our industrial stability, some well-meaning specialists in the labor field are looking for a general formula that will solve all labor ills. This search for perfection tends to obscure the possibilities for mending and improving what we already have.

Some suggestions contained in a memorandum drawn up by a Government official who knows the labor-management field inside and out seem to me worthy of serious consideration. This man is not "antilabor." But he sees the dangers labor faces if the idea gets around that the unions have adopted the public be-damned attitude.

He suggests as one simple change an amendment to the organic act creating the Department of Labor, which now empowers the Secretary of Labor to appoint commissioners of conciliation in the interests of industrial peace. The amendment would give the Secretary power in a limited number of industries—transportation, public utilities, communications and certain natural resources industries such as coal, where the union possesses a monopoly—to proclaim the existence of an emergency when a strike is threatened. Under this proclamation, both labor and management would be ordered to refrain from any strike, lockout or changes in terms and conditions of employment until the matter was referred to a special arbitration panel chosen by the Secretary.

In other words, there would be compulsory arbitration for a small segment of industry on which the public welfare is directly dependent. While these powers would be rarely used, the penalties for violating them would be stiff.

The B-B-H bill has what seems to be reasonable provisions to protect the rights of the individual in a trade union. The bill provides that any new employe has a right to obtain membership in the union by paying the standard initiation fee and the standard rate of dues, and that a labor union cannot cause a man to be fired unless his expulsion from the union is preceded by written charges and a hearing.

IN THE OPINION of at least one specialist thoroughly familiar with the working of labor laws, the B-B-H bill attempts to meet evils growing out of the check-off and the closed shop by an unnecessarily drastic step. The bill provides that closed shop agreements will be lawful only where the union has 75 per cent of the employes as members and where the agreement is ratified by 60 per cent of all employes by secret ballot.

A sufficient check could be provided by requiring that the making of any new contract be preceded by an election designating the union as the bargaining agent and specifying that the contract could continue for only one year. This would make it unnecessary to police the internal affairs of the union.

Only Congress can take action with regard to abuses growing out of the encroachment of labor on the management field. An amendment to the basic labor act could define supervisory employes who would not be eligible for unionization.

These proposals have a drastic sound today. If public opinion shifts abruptly against organized labor, as it threatens to do, they are likely to seem mild by comparison with what may come two or three years from now.

Laval's Trial

The fantastically farcical, yes, tragic, pretense of legality in the trial and execution of Pierre Laval, former Premier of France, is shocking to the sensibilities of decent, law-abiding people everywhere. He was denied basic, fundamental rights—such as trial by a jury of unprejudiced persons, rather than by judge and jury of political enemies. One needs to go back to the fantastic Soviet purge trials of several years ago, to the infamous French Reign of Terror or the Bloody Assizes for a counterpart.

I fear that this recent farce sets the pattern for postwar trials. The trials of so-called "war criminals" are likely to react to the disadvantage of civilized people's reputation for justice if the accused are condemned in advance.

R. C. O'BRIEN.
Arlington, Va., Oct. 15.

George Predicts Tax Relief for Veterans

By Sam Stavisky
From Yesterday's Late Editions
Post Veterans Editor

Congressional passage of tax relief for war veterans was predicted yesterday by Senator Walter F. George (D., Ga.), chairman of the Senate Finance Committee.

Senator George told The Post the following four measures are likely to be given favorable action soon:

1. Extension of the serviceman tax exemption of $1500 for one year after discharge.
2. Elimination of the 6 per cent interest penalty for veterans requiring more than six months to pay up their accumulated tax arrears.
3. Removal of the requirement that veterans fill out tax returns when they owe the Government no taxes.
4. Relieving American prisoners of war from paying high surtaxes on their service pay, given to them in a lump sum on being freed.

At least part of these relief measures probably will be included in tax bill being currently considered by the Senate Finance Committee, George said.

The $1500 exemption is presently given to men and women in the service, and is in addition to the $500 individual exemption. The veteran's exemptions would work the same way.

Congressional and Treasury tax experts have been studying the veteran's exemption problem for several days, and will submit an estimate of cost at an executive session of the committee tomorrow.

If it is not possible to clear the veteran's exemption in time for passage with the present streamlined tax bill, it will be taken up in the general tax bill immediately thereafter.

The Soldiers and Sailors Civil Relief Act of 1940 deferred tax payment by persons entering the armed forces until six months after discharge. The Bureau of Internal Revenue has been lenient in extending the period for paying up arrears, but the law imposes a 6 per cent fine after the six months are up.

The $1500 exemption plus the $500 individual exemption places most enlisted personnel outside the fold of taxpayers, but they are still required by law to fill out tax returns. Senator George would eliminate this operation for veterans who owe no taxes and for those who owe only a small sum.

Americans captured by the enemy now are subject to higher surtaxes on back pay because they receive it in a lump sum. Senator George would have them taxed as if they had been paid when they earned the money.

All four measures of relief for veterans, George said, would be effective retroactively. Refunds would be made to veterans who had already paid taxes.

During the Senate Finance hearings this week several Senators mentioned the need of tax relief for veterans.

An official spokesman for the CIO yesterday urged forgiveness of income taxes up to $250 owed by veterans, and for continuation of the GI $1500 exemption for one year after discharge. The CIO also asked that an incentive tax of 25 per cent less the regular rate be given veterans opening new businesses, as suggested recently by Elder Statesman Bernard Baruch.

The American Legion is supporting a bill to cancel all taxes on military incomes during the period of the war. The Veterans of Foreign Wars is seeking to extend the $1500 exemption for veterans for a period as long as he served in the armed forces.

Grin and Bear It

By Ichty

"Well, it's been an interesting experience—we've had the opportunity to see and be human nature at its worst!"

13 New Posts Set Up in Auto Bureau Rush

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The District Commissioners yesterday established 13 new temporary positions in the vehicles and traffic department to help the depleted staff meet a sudden postwar increase in business.

Five new inspectors and three inspector-trainees were allotted to the motor vehicle inspection service, which even before VJ-Day had too much work for available personnel, according to Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer. The additions will bring the staff up to its full prewar strength of 46 men.

Five other new temporary posts are allowed in the operators' permit section and the title and registration division where the workload is also "entirely too heavy," officials announced.

The District will pay for the positions from lapsed funds and if its 1947 budget is approved by Congress, all of the posts would have permanent authorization, it was pointed out.

Meanwhile, the Commissioners have also authorized the installation of traffic lights at the intersection of 17th and C sts. ne., where traffic officials reported an accident record "far above" the usual warrant for signals. Eight separate signals will be put up, in accordance with a new program of the traffic department.

Six Reinstated

The Commissioners yesterday reinstated six Police Department members who have been serving in the armed forces.

They are: Pvts. Donald E. Ney, Joe Y. Chennault, Frederick N. Webber, jr., and Herbert S. Taylor, all of whom have been with the Coast Guard; Pvt. Thomas H. Hutchinson, jr., returned from the Navy, and Pvt. Harvey T. Wright, released recently from the Marine Corps.

Names of 2 D. C. Professors Found on Nazis' Purge List

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Two Washingtonians were included among a list of 100 Americans slated for immediate arrest and liquidation by the Nazis "with the defeat of America," the Associated Press reported from Krakaw last night.

Scheduled victims of the purge that never materialized were Prof. J. Rolbiecki, theologian, of Catholic University, and Prof. Henry K. Arotowski, research worker at the Smithsonian Institution, who lives at 18th st. and Ontario rd. nw. The dispatch listed a third Washingtonian, a Dr. Jan Henryk of Catholic University, who was not known to university officials.

Marked for Aid to Poland

Their specific "crimes" against naziism were not listed, but the dispatch said their arrest was desired by the Nazis for their "aid to Poland."

Informed by The Post that he had been named as one of the purge victims, Professor Rolbiecki said he knew of no reason for the Nazis' desire to liquidate him.

"I find it most amusing," he said, "but offhand I wouldn't know the reason. It would require some thinking."

A native of Winona, Minn., Professor Rolbiecki has been associated with Catholic University since 1918. He conceded that some of his writings or teachings might have irked the Nazis, but could recall no specific instance of controversy with the German government.

Attached to Lwow University

Professor Arotowski possibly was "blacklisted" because of his efforts in behalf of Polish reconstruction after World War I, according to his wife. From 1921 to 1939 he was attached to the University of Lwow, and during that time did much to assist the nation in its reconstruction period, she said.

Dr. Arotowski returned to Poland from America to assist in the reconstruction program, but came back to the United States just three weeks before the beginning of World War II, his wife said. He compiled data on which much of the reconstruction was based, and was an "active patriot" during his stay.

Dr. Arotowski came back to the United States in 1939 for the purpose of attending the International Geophysics meeting in Washington, intending to return to Poland in a few weeks. The outbreak of war, however, necessitated his remaining in this country.

The list of potential victims of the Nazi purge was uncovered by Polish authorities, and included educators, writers, diplomats and scientists. They were "blacklisted" just after the Allied invasion of Europe, the Associated Press report said.

Gen. Byron Gets DSM for Forming Vast PX System

Maj. Gen. Joseph W. Byron, 4701 Connecticut ave. nw., credited with establishing a system of post exchanges serving American Army personnel in every corner of the globe, has been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

The medal was conferred by Gen. Brehon Somervell, commanding general of Army Service Forces.

General Byron's citation stated that, as chief of the Army exchange service and director of the special services division from July, 1942, to August, 1945, "he displayed outstanding initiative and resourcefulness in providing supplies for the recreation and entertainment of the American soldier."

Two Women Pedestrians Hurt

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Two women pedestrians were seriously injured in traffic accidents yesterday.

Mrs. Jean Brooks, 22, 503 Lanark way, Silver Spring, Md., was admitted to Walter Reed suffering from injuries received when she was struck by a car near the Georgia ave. entrance to the hospita.

She was treated for a brain concussion and possible internal hemorrhages. Driver of the car was listed by police as Clyde C. Swilling, jr., 4102 Newton ave., Brentwood, Md.

Still unconscious at Emergency Hospital last night was Mrs. Blanche Heady, 64, 1332 19th st. nw. She was treated for head injuries suffered when she was struck by a taxicab at 12th and F sts. nw. Police said the driver was Louis Brown, Negro, 1012 N st. nw.

Airlines Expanding To Meet Passenger Rush

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Airlines operating into Washington are reaching for all the fast four-motored planes they can obtain to meet unprecedented demand for air travel, company spokesmen indicated yesterday.

There is a heavy backlog of orders for the latest types of passenger equipment.

As a stopgap until planes of special and faster types can be delivered, airlines are leasing the Army's giant C-54 planes and converting them for commercial passenger travel. From three to six months are required for the reconversion jobs.

American, Transcontinental & Western, Eastern, United and Pennsylvania Central all have fleets of new models on order.

United Airlines announced yesterday that the first two of a fleet of four-engine C-54 type planes had been delivered under a lease it is negotiating with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. W. A. Patterson, president of United, said the ships would be converted to carry 44 passengers each. They will have a speed of 220 miles an hour and are expected to fly on coast-to-coast schedules by next January. United has a contract with the Douglas company for a faster plane, the DC-6, which will carry 54 pasesngers and fly at 300 miles an hour, Patterson said.

PCA expects to operate the first of a full fleet of Douglas DC-4s before the end of 1945, the company president, C. Bedell Moore, said yesterday. The planes will be prototypes of the Army's round-the-world Globster and will carry 57 passengers at a cruising speed of 250 miles an hour. The newly acquired equipment is being reconverted by the Glenn L. Martin Co.

American Airlines has ordered 50 of the Army's four-motored C-54s for use on transcontinental and transocean schedules, a spokesman for the company said. The

Chilean President Favors Letting Argentina Alone

New York, Oct. 16 (AP).—President Juan Antonio Rios of Chile today described the present regime in Argentina as "a very sick man who each day grows weaker and weaker," and smilingly suggested that "we leave him alone so he can die in peace."

Rios said his recent tour of Latin-American countries had given him "a sense of optimism which was definitely strengthened during my stay in Washington."

He said "there is another thing which increases my certainty in the future of the American state of mind—the fact that President Truman is following and bolstering the "Good Neighbor policy to which the great President Roosevelt gave such high prestige."

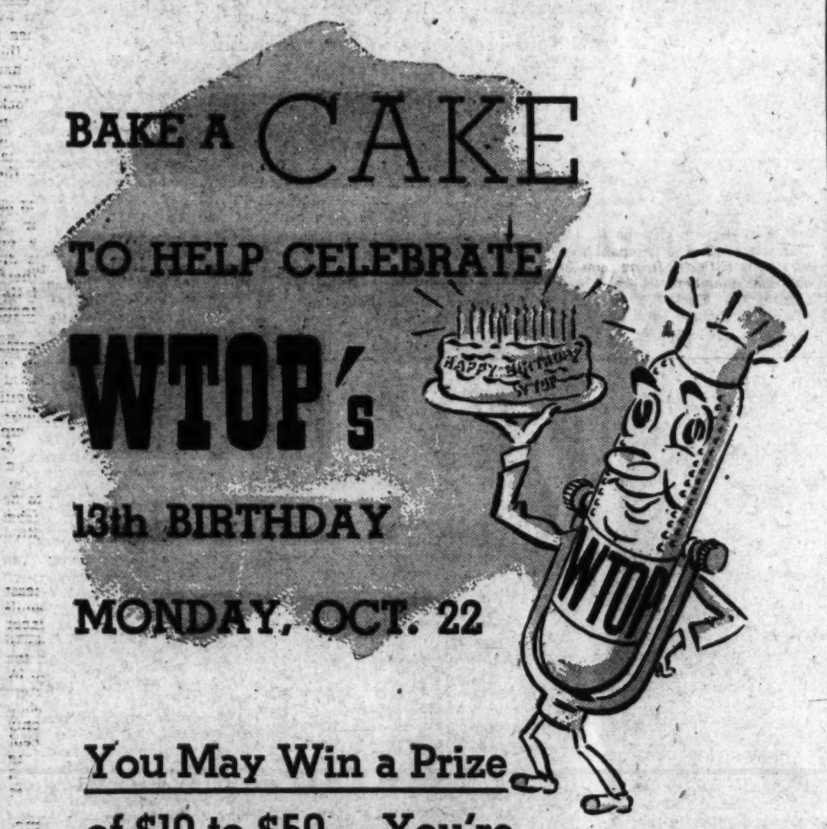
Military Police Open Drive on Jap Bootleggers

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Tokyo, Oct. 16 (U.P.).—American military police and Japanese police joined today in a drive against Tokyo bootleggers after Allied headquarters ordered confiscation of all liquor offered for sale at Tokyo and Yokohama black markets because of "several deaths and serious illness" from poison liquor consumed by American Army and Navy personnel.

Japanese "Booby-Trap"

Singapore, Oct. 16 (U.P.).—Poison liquor which killed 22 British Navy armed service and Merchant Marine men here last week was a delayed-action booby-trap set by the Japanese, a senior custom official investigating its sale said today.



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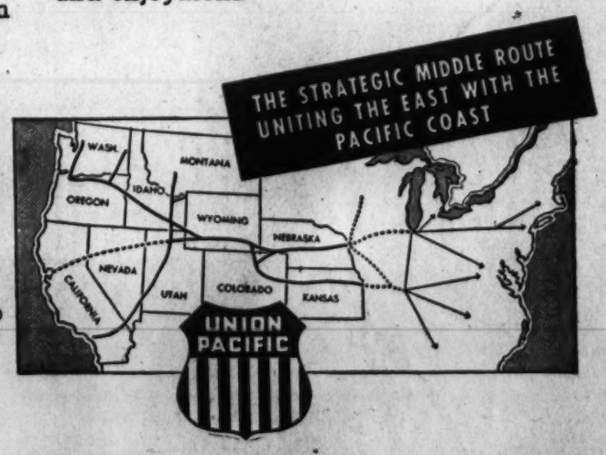

Housing Needs of U.S. Agencies Are Outlined to Committee

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The General Accounting Office, which has to operate in 20 scattered buildings here, was cited yesterday as an example of the urgent housing need of Federal agencies in Washington.

W. Englebert Reynolds, public buildings commissioner, opened the story of the local situation before the House Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, which is studying a bill asking nearly a billion dollars for a Nation-wide Federal building program.

Reynolds branded as erroneous the "general impression that Washington is over-built," and pointed out that even prior to World War II, the Government was renting three million square feet of office space in the District.

The Federal Works Administration sponsored construction program, which provides 194 million dollars for buildings in Washington and the nearby area, would make it possible to abolish all temporary Government structures here by 1950, he asserted.

He said a careful study conducted to determine postwar housing needs indicated that the Federal worker population in Washington five years hence would be 180,000. The wartime peak in 1944 was 280,000.

The plight of the General Accounting Office was taken up by Frank L. Yates, Assistant Comptroller General, who declared that the two adjacent buildings proposed for the GAO at a cost of $18,900,000 "would make possible for the first time in its history the coordination of its activities and bring added efficiency and economy to its operations."

The main office of the GAO is now located in the Old Pension Office Building north of the Municipal Court, which one witness described as "three red barns piled on top of each other."

When Chairman Fritz Lanham (D., Ky.) inquired if razing the old edifice might be opposed by lovers of tradition and ancient history, Yates replied:

"Our feeling about the building is that it doesn't do a modern job very well and doesn't speak its history very eloquently."

An excavation for one of the proposed buildings across the street from the present site has already been made. The two new structures will be connected by a tunnel.

Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, administrator of the Federal Works Agency, testified that "the accumulated need for structures for the proper conduct of the Government's business is very great."

He said the proposed project "will be a factor of importance in stabilizing construction and therefore contribute largely to a sound and healthy over-all economy."

The hearings will be continued today at 10 a. m.

Aviation Talks To Feature Dinner At Alexandria

An aviation program featuring talks by officials of private aircraft companies, the Civil Aeronautics Authority and Alexandria's city government interested in an air transport development will be presented by the Alexandria Junior Chamber of Commerce Tuesday.

Dr. Arthur Angelico and Jack Beuchert have planned a dinner at 6:30 at the Penn-Daw Hotel on the Washington-Richmond Highway. Assisting with arrangements are Allen Fredd and Elliott Thompson.

Speakers include John H. Geisse of CAA; Joseph T. Gauting, jr., Aircraft Industries Association, and Fred Weick of Riverdale, Md.

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New Associate Justice Takes Oath

Post Staff Photo

FILLS COURT OF APPEALS VACANCY—Wilbur K. Miller (right) former justice of the Kentucky Special Court of Appeals, is sworn in as associate justice of the U. S. Court of Appeals by Justice Stanley Reed, of the Supreme Court. Attorney General Tom C. Clark presented Justice Miller's commission, and Mrs. Miller (in picture) attended the ceremony at her husband's new office yesterday. The post he fills was left vacant by the resignation of Fred M. Vinson, now Secretary of the Treasury

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Marine Pilot of Alexandria Killed in Hawaii Air Crash

Mrs. Florine A. Schlenz, a former Marine of 1712 Mount Vernon ave., Alexandria, Va., has been notified that her husband a Marine pilot, was killed in a collision over Oahu.

Two weeks ago the Navy Department reported her husband, First Lieut. Charles W. Schlenz, 22, as missing. Last week Mrs. Schlenz received the report that his body was not recovered after the Oahu crash.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Schlenz were married last year while they were both stationed at Edenton, N. C. She was discharged from the Marine Corps last December and he went overseas last June.

A native of Wyckoff, N. J., Lieutenant Schlenz enlisted as naval aviation cadet almost three years ago, and later transferred to the Marine Corps.

Mrs. Schlenz is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Schlenz, in Wychoff. Besides his wife and parents, the pilot is survived by a brother, Sergt. Robert, with the Marines overseas, and a sister, Helen.

Arlington School to Be Moved Oct. 29

Headquarters of the Arlington Forest Cooperative Nursery School will be moved to the Arlington Forest Methodist Church at Lee blvd. and Henderson st. in Arlington, October 28, school officials said yesterday.

The nursery now is being operated at St. George's Episcopal Church. Members of the cooperative also announced that a new teacher has been appointed for the school. She is Mrs. Robert C. Gilander, a graduate of Duke University, who previously had taught in private schools in Miami, Fla.

Va. Income Tax Averaged $33 In Arlington

Arlington residents have paid an average State income tax of $33 on 1944 incomes, County Revenue Commissioner Harry K. Green said yesterday.

Green reported that the 1945 income tax records reveal an increase in State income taxes over 1944 of $134,395.78. Total amount of income taxes assessed in the county for 1945 so far is $751,328.89, while the total amount assessed last year on State income taxes was $616,933.11, he explained.

Taxable income this year was $43,011,865, as compared with $35,342,286 last year, representing 26,140 returns.

"While there are few persons living in Arlington County with large incomes," Green stated, "the average income reflects a prosperous condition among the middle class who make up the backbone of any community," he said. Lowest amount of tax assessed by the commissioner of revenue for 1945 was three cents, Green said, and the largest was $3,703.91.

Hagan Calls For Repeal of Va. Poll Tax

Repeal of Virginia's poll tax as an encouragement toward true democratic government was advocated last night by J. Foster Hagan, Arlington Republican and candidate for the Virginia House of Delegates.

In a radio address, Hagan declared, "I am not opposed, in theory to a poll tax. The right of suffrage in a free government is worth any premium which may be exacted for it, provided that premium is not such as t olimit and exclude the suffrage. It is because the administration of the poll tax in Virginia has become festooned and engrafted with limitations and exclusions that I am opposed to it and favor its immediate repeal."

No member of the ruling autocracy, Hagan went on, has explained the arbitrary three-year requirement for payment of poll tax as a prerequisite of voting . . . Your Virginia voter must not only pay to vote, he must comply with arbitrary and unreasonable limitations designed and administered to discourage his voting. The fewer the voters, the easier their control and the easier the self-perpetuation of the organization which conceived the tax and imposed those limitations, contrary to the high calling of a government of a free and independent people.

"The Democratic Party in Virginia has been in control of the voting machinery of the State for so long," Hagan charged, "that it has become second nature with a Virginian to recognize it and try to shrug it off; or at least until a Democratic primary election explodes in his face . . .

"Then he watches the judge, on the basis of those conditions, toss out the whole county's vote, thus disfranchising some three thousand people and, probably as a coincidence, changing the result of the election."

What's Going On And Where

Entertainment for Service Men and Women

Victory canteen for servicemen, 1113 Pennsylvania ave. nw., 10 a. m.

Army-Navy Masonic Servicemen's Center, 13th st. and New York ave. nw., 1 p. m.

Servicemen's ticket booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., 4 to 8:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Canteen for Servicemen of the United Nations, 13th and G sts. nw., checking, showers, lounge, all day.

Officers' Service Club of the United Nations, Inc., 1644 21st st. nw. Informal dancing, hostesses, 8:30 to 11:30.

USO, 918 10th st. nw., recreation room, information, showers, dark room facilities, dance with all-service band, 8:30 to 11:30 p. m.

Junior Officers of Washington, Inc., 733 17th st. nw., dance, dates or hostesses, 9 to 12 p. m. Uniform exchange during day to 6 p. m. Clubs opens at 11 a. m.

USO, 801 Pennsylvania ave. nw., voice recordings, 6 p. m.; swimming party, Ambassador Hotel, 7:30 p. m.

USO, 16th and Corcoran sts. nw., table games, lounge, have your fortune told, Russian and Spanish classes.

Stage Door Canteen, Capitol Cowboys, 9 to 10 p. m.

USO, 1911 H st. nw., dunking night, coffee and doughnuts, 9 p. m.

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Alexandria to Fete Men of Namesake Ship

Alexandria will stage a three-day welcome celebration to the officers and men of the Coast Guard frigate, U. S. S. Alexandria, named for the city, over the Navy Day weekend.

The heavy duty, corvette type vessel will dock October 26 at the Franklin st. wharf of the Naval Torpedo Station annex.

Elliott F. Hoffman, clerk of the Alexandria Corporation Court, is chairman of the city's committee to entertain the 12 officers and 150 crew members during their stay. He will be assisted by a Coast Guard representative, Chief Specialist Nevin O. Fidler.

Inspection of the ship and the Naval Torpedo Station by the public is planned for the morning and afternoon of Navy Day on October 27.

A luncheon will be given at the George Mason Hotel for all of the officers and crew members with a few city officials by the civic clubs of Alexandria, including the Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions and Civitans, on Navy Day at 12:30.

Saturday afternoon Navy Day ceremonies will be held aboard the ship with Admiral Lloyd T. Chalker, assistant commandant of the Coast Guard, as principal speaker. The city's gifts to the ship, a silver service for the officers, and athletic equipment and a phonograph with records for the men, will be presented by Mayor Wilkins.

The ship's officers will be honored at a dinner Saturday night by the Alexandria City Council at the George Mason Hotel when members of the Senate and House, and State Legislature, as well as Army and Navy commanders from nearby bases will attend.

A dance is planned Saturday night for the crew at the Alexandria Armory, 210 South Royal st., with junior hostesses from Beta Sigma Phi Sorority and the three Alexandria USO clubs attending. All Army, Navy and Marine men in the city that night will be welcomed.

Virginia Guard Promotes 2 Men To Higher Ranks

Two promotions and appointments to duty in the Virginia State Guard were announced yesterday by Lieut. Col. Everett A. Helimuth, 307 West Glendale ave., Alexandria.

Promoted from first lieutenant to captain and assigned to headquarters of the battalion at the armory in Alexandria was Robert D. Beeton of Route No. 2, Bluemont; appointed first lieutenant of infantry and assigned to Company 111 at Warrenton was Charles Van Brunt Cushman, Upperville.

Captain Beeton has been serving as public relations officer for the battalion for the past two years. Lieutenant Cushman was formerly a major in the Army Air Corps.

A sedan found partly submerged in Potomac River at the south end of the Highway bridge yesterday was identified to police as belonging to Peter Keefe, 1015 N st. nw., who said it was stolen from a downtown parking lot Monday night.

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All that is likely to accomplish is to precipitate a competition in armaments of the most vicious kind, and to deceive not our potential enemies but our own people. For our people are being persuaded that they may disarm, relying for their security upon a few scientific magicians who will press buttons in laboratories. It is fantastic that a free country, one so free that every secret leaks out almost immediately, should imagine that it can over a period of years beat a totalitarian state at the game of keeping secrets. Surely if we believe in liberty, and Americans have no other choice because that is the vital principle of our existence as a nation, we must seek security from the appalling danger of atomic explosions in the widest and freest diffusion of knowledge. Whatever the risks of that, the alternative is simply impossible. We are irrevocably committed to freedom. How can we expect to break through the censorship of newspaper reports in Sofia and Belgrade when we are proposing to establish a censorship of science in Washington?

ONLY CLEAR POLICY can in these stubborn and chaotic days prevail. But clear policy can be formed only in clear minds, and no man's mind will be clear if his heart is at odds with his stomach, and his conscience is split. We cannot have one principle for Sunday and another for Monday, one for the State Department and another for the Navy Department, one for east longitude and another for west longitude. For like Buridan's ass, which stood between two equally tempting bales of hay and starved to death, we shall become enfeebled and passive and static, pulled in all directions and going in none. Yet that is what is happening as we attempt to please everybody by adopting all principles at once.

In the end we shall please nobody, least of all ourselves, if those who have the responsibility of leading the country make it their purpose to be popular rather than to make popular a consistent national purpose.

Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"Try and think now—can't you even remember your WIFE?"

Late Navy Figures Show 35 Dead In Okinawa Storm

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Pearl Harbor, Oct. 16 (AP).—Revised Navy casualty figures issued today on the typhoon which lashed Okinawa last week showed 35 dead and 41 missing, but the Navy said these figures probably would be increased on receipt of more complete information. Ninety-one persons were seriously injured and 332 received minor injuries.

Seven ships were lost. Nineteen vessels were so badly damaged that their commanding officers consider them a total loss. An additional 34 ships suffered serious structural damage and four others minor damage. Eighty per cent of the Navy's shore establishments on Okinawa were damaged or wiped out.

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Immediate Plebiscite Urged by Greek King

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Athens, Oct. 16 (U.P.).—The Republican press said today King George II of Greece has informed Archbishop Damaskinos, Greek regent, that events had proved wrong the suggestion of Britain, United States and France for a postponement of a plebiscite on the return of the monarchy, and that nation-wide elections should be held as soon as possible under a caretaker government.

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Brazilian Army Officers Here After Service in Italian Zone

Nine Brazilian officers, headed by the commander of Brazil's Expeditionary force in Italy, were guests of honor in Washington yesterday, prior to a two-week tour of Army installations in this country.

They were guests of Gen. George C. Marshall at a luncheon at the Pentagon, after which Major Gen. Jose Batista Mascarenhos De Morais placed a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. De Morais led the Brazilian forces in Italy.

Thursday the party will call on President Truman and Secretary of War Patterson and be entertained at a reception at the Brazilian embassy in the evening. Friday they go to West Point where a parade will be staged in their honor.

Sunday the group will start an investigation tour, visiting Fort Knox, Ky., Fort Leavenworth, Kans., Fort Sill, Okla., and Fort Benning, Ga. The officers also will visit Bushnell General Hospital near Salt Lake City, Utah, where wounded members of the Brazilian Expeditionary force are being rehabilitated.

In addition to DeMorais, the officers are Col. Humberto De Alencar Castello Branco, Col. Nestor Penha Brasil, Col. Alvaro Pratti De Aguiar, Col. Ferando De Saboia De Mollo, Lieut. Col. Juan Adil De Oliveira, Col. Pavlo Figveiredo, Capt. Rubens Alve De Vasconellos, and Capt. Humberto Agviar. They are at the Mayflower Hotel while in Washington.

Lopez Analyzes Filipinos' Desire For Independence

The Philippine people want independence so they can repay their debt of gratitude to the United States, Maj. Pedro Lopez, member of the Philippine Rehabilitation Commission and of the Philippine Congress, said yesterday in an address before a student assembly at Maryland University.

He urged the 3500 students present to study and try to understand the Philippine attitude toward independence.

No Filipino, he said, regrets the tough fight he put up under Japanese domination though making the decision to fight instead of cooperating with the Japs was hard.

Major Lopez, leader of the guerilla forces, praised the United States for sharing resources and knowledge with the Philippines instead of exploiting the islands natural resources as Spain had done.

WPB Urges Groups To Continue With Tin Can Salvage

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The Government stepped out of the can-salvage program yesterday, but urged committees to keep collecting tin cans.

A War Production Board spokesman said there are no plans to transfer its salvage programs to the civilian production administration when WPB goes out of business November 3.

WPB's tin division, however, called on volunteer salvage committees "to continue their efforts and thus insure a steady flow of scrap to the detinning plants."

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Housing Needs of U.S. Agencies Are Outlined to Committee

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The General Accounting Office, which has to operate in 20 scattered buildings here, was cited yesterday as an example of the urgent housing need of Federal agencies in Washington.

W. Englebert Reynolds, public buildings commissioner, opened the story of the local situation before the House Public Buildings and Grounds Committee, which is studying a bill asking nearly a billion dollars for a Nation-wide Federal building program.

Reynolds branded as erroneous the "general impression that Washington is over-built," and pointed out that even prior to World War II, the Government was renting three million square feet of office space in the District.

The Federal Works Administration sponsored construction program, which provides 194 million dollars for buildings in Washington and the nearby area, would make it possible to abolish all temporary Government structures here by 1950, he asserted.

He said a careful study conducted to determine postwar housing needs indicated that the Federal worker population in Washington five years hence would be 180,000. The wartime peak in 1944 was 280,000.

The plight of the General Accounting Office was taken up by Frank L. Yates, Assistant Comptroller General, who declared that the two adjacent buildings proposed for the GAO at a cost of $18,900,000 "would make possible for the first time in its history the coordination of its activities and bring added efficiency and economy to its operations."

The main office of the GAO is now located in the Old Pension Office Building north of the Municipal Court, which one witness described as "three red barns piled on top of each other."

When Chairman Fritz Lanham (D., Ky.) inquired if razing the old edifice might be opposed by lovers of tradition and ancient history, Yates replied:

"Our feeling about the building is that it doesn't do a modern job very well and doesn't speak its history very eloquently."

An excavation for one of the proposed buildings across the street from the present site has already been made. The two new structures will be connected by a tunnel.

Maj. Gen. Philip B. Fleming, administrator of the Federal Works Agency, testified that "the accumulated need for structures for the proper conduct of the Government's business is very great."

He said the proposed project "will be a factor of importance in stabilizing construction and therefore contribute largely to a sound and healthy over-all economy."

The hearings will be continued today at 10 a. m.

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Aviation Talks To Feature Dinner At Alexandria

An aviation program featuring talks by officials of private aircraft companies, the Civil Aeronautics Authority and Alexandria's city government interested in an air transport development will be presented by the Alexandria Junior Chamber of Commerce Tuesday.

Dr. Arthur Angelico and Jack Beuchert have planned a dinner at 6:30 at the Penn-Daw Hotel on the Washington-Richmond Highway. Assisting with arrangements are Allen Fredd and Elliott Thompson.

Speakers include John H. Geisse of CAA; Joseph T. Gauting, jr., Aircraft Industries Association, and Fred Weick of Riverdale, Md.

New Associate Justice Takes Oath

Post Staff Photo

FILLS COURT OF APPEALS VACANCY—Wilbur K. Miller (right) former justice of the Kentucky Special Court of Appeals, is sworn in as associate justice of the U. S. Court of Appeals by Justice Stanley Reed, of the Supreme Court. Attorney General Tom C. Clark presented Justice Miller's commission, and Mrs. Miller (in picture) attended the ceremony at her husband's new office yesterday. The post he fills was left vacant by the resignation of Fred M. Vinson, now Secretary of the Treasury

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Marine Pilot of Alexandria Killed in Hawaii Air Crash

Mrs. Florine A. Schlenz, a former Marine of 1712 Mount Vernon ave., Alexandria, Va., has been notified that her husband a Marine pilot, was killed in a collision over Oahu.

Two weeks ago the Navy Department reported her husband, First Lieut. Charles W. Schlenz, 22, as missing. Last week Mrs. Schlenz received the report that his body was not recovered after the Oahu crash.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Schlenz were married last year while they were both stationed at Edenton, N. C. She was discharged from the Marine Corps last December and he went overseas last June.

A native of Wyckoff, N. J., Lieutenant Schlenz enlisted as naval aviation cadet almost three years ago, and later transferred to the Marine Corps.

Mrs. Schlenz is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Schlenz, in Wychoff. Besides his wife and parents, the pilot is survived by a brother, Sergt. Robert, with the Marines overseas, and a sister, Helen.

Arlington School to Be Moved Oct. 29

Headquarters of the Arlington Forest Cooperative Nursery School will be moved to the Arlington Forest Methodist Church at Lee blvd. and Henderson st. in Arlington, October 28, school officials said yesterday.

The nursery now is being operated at St. George's Episcopal Church. Members of the cooperative also announced that a new teacher has been appointed for the school. She is Mrs. Robert C. Gillander, a graduate of Duke University, who previously had taught in private schools in Miami, Fla.

Va. Income Tax Averaged $33 In Arlington

Arlington residents have paid an average State income tax of $33 on 1944 incomes, County Revenue Commissioner Harry K. Green said yesterday.

Green reported that the 1945 income tax records reveal an increase in State income taxes over 1944 of $134,395.78. Total amount of income taxes assessed in the county for 1945 so far is $751,328.89, while the total amount assessed last year on State income taxes was $616,933.11, he explained.

Taxable income this year was $43,011,865, as compared with $35,342,286 last year, representing 26,140 returns.

"While there are few persons living in Arlington County with large incomes," Green stated, "the average income reflects a prosperous condition among the middle class who make up the backbone of any community," he said. Lowest amount of tax assessed by the commissioner of revenue for 1945 was three cents, Green said, and the largest was $3,703.91.

Hagan Calls For Repeal of Va. Poll Tax

Repeal of Virginia's poll tax as an encouragement toward true democratic government was advocated last night by J. Foster Hagan, Arlington Republican and candidate for the Virginia House of Delegates.

In a radio address, Hagan declared, "I am not opposed, in theory to a poll tax. The right of suffrage in a free government is worth any premium which may be exacted for it, provided that premium is not such as t olimit and exclude the suffrage. It is because the administration of the poll tax in Virginia has become festooned and engrafted with limitations and exclusions that I am opposed to it and favor its immediate repeal."

No member of the ruling autocracy, Hagan went on, has explained the arbitrary three-year requirement for payment of poll tax as a prerequisite of voting . . . Your Virginia voter must not only pay to vote, he must comply with arbitrary and unreasonable limitations designed and administered to discourage his voting. The fewer the voters, the easier their control and the easier the self-perpetuation of the organization which conceived the tax and imposed those limitations, contrary to the high calling of a government of a free and independent people.

"The Democratic Party in Virginia has been in control of the voting machinery of the State for so long," Hagan charged, "that it has become second nature with a Virginian to recognize it and try to shrug it off; or at least until a Democratic primary election explodes in his face . . .

"Then he watches the judge, on the basis of those conditions, toss out the whole county's vote, thus disfranchising some three thousand people and, probably as a coincidence, changing the result of the election."

What's Going On And Where

Entertainment for Service Men and Women

Victory canteen for servicemen, 1113 Pennsylvania ave. nw., 10 a. m.

Army-Navy Masonic Servicemen's Center, 13th st. and New York ave. nw., 1 p. m.

Servicemen's ticket booth, E st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw., 4 to 8:30 p. m.

Pepsi-Cola Canteen for Servicemen of the United Nations, 13th and G sts. nw., checking, showers, lounge, all day.

Officers' Service Club of the United Nations, Inc., 1644 21st st. nw. Informal dancing, hostesses, 8:30 to 11:30.

USO, 918 19th st. nw., recreation room, information, showers, dark room facilities, dance with all-service band, 8:30 to 11:30 p. m.

Junior Officers of Washington, Inc., 733 17th st. nw., dance, dates or hostesses, 9 to 12 p. m. Uniform exchange during day to 6 p. m. Clubs opens at 11 a. m.

USO, 801 Pennsylvania ave. nw., voice recordings, 6 p. m.; swimming party, Ambassador Hotel, 7:30 p. m.

USO, 16th and Corcoran nw., table games, lounge, have your fortune told, Russian and Spanish classes.

Stage Door Canteen, Capitol Cowboys, 9 to 10 p. m.

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Alexandria to Fete Men of Namesake Ship

Alexandria will stage a three-day welcome celebration to the officers and men of the Coast Guard frigate, U. S. S. Alexandria, named for the city, over the Navy Day weekend.

The heavy duty, corvette type vessel will dock October 26 at the Franklin st. wharf of the Naval Torpedo Station annex.

Elliott F. Hoffman, clerk of the Alexandria Corporation Court, is chairman of the city's committee to entertain the 12 officers and 150 crew members during their stay. He will be assisted by a Coast Guard representative, Chief Specialist Nevin O. Fidler.

Inspection of the ship and the Naval Torpedo Station by the public is planned for the morning and afternoon of Navy Day on October 27.

A luncheon will be given at the George Mason Hotel for all of the officers and crew members with a few city officials by the civic clubs of Alexandria, including the Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions and Civitans, on Navy Day at 12:30.

Saturday afternoon Navy Day ceremonies will be held aboard the ship with Admiral Lloyd T. Chalker, assistant commandant of the Coast Guard, as principal speaker. The city's gifts to the ship, a silver service for the officers, and athletic equipment and a phonograph with records for the men, will be presented by Mayor Wilkins.

The ship's officers will be honored at a dinner Saturday night by the Alexandria City Council at the George Mason Hotel when members of the Senate and House, and State Legislature, as well as Army and Navy commanders from nearby bases will attend.

A dance is planned Saturday night for the crew at the Alexandria Armory, 210 South Royal st., with junior hostesses from Beta Sigma Phi Sorority and the three Alexandria USO clubs attending. All Army, Navy and Marine men in the city that night will be welcomed.

Virginia Guard Promotes 2 Men To Higher Ranks

Two promotions and appointments to duty in the Virginia State Guard were announced yesterday by Lieut. Col. Everett A. Hellmuth, 307 West Glendale ave., Alexandria.

Promoted from first lieutenant to captain and assigned to headquarters of the battalion at the armory in Alexandria was Robert D. Beeton of Route No. 2, Bluemont; appointed first lieutenant of infantry and assigned to Company 111 at Warrenton was Charles Van Brunt Cushman, Upperville.

Captain Beeton has been serving as public relations officer for the battalion for the past two years. Lieutenant Cushman was formerly a major in the Army Air Corps.

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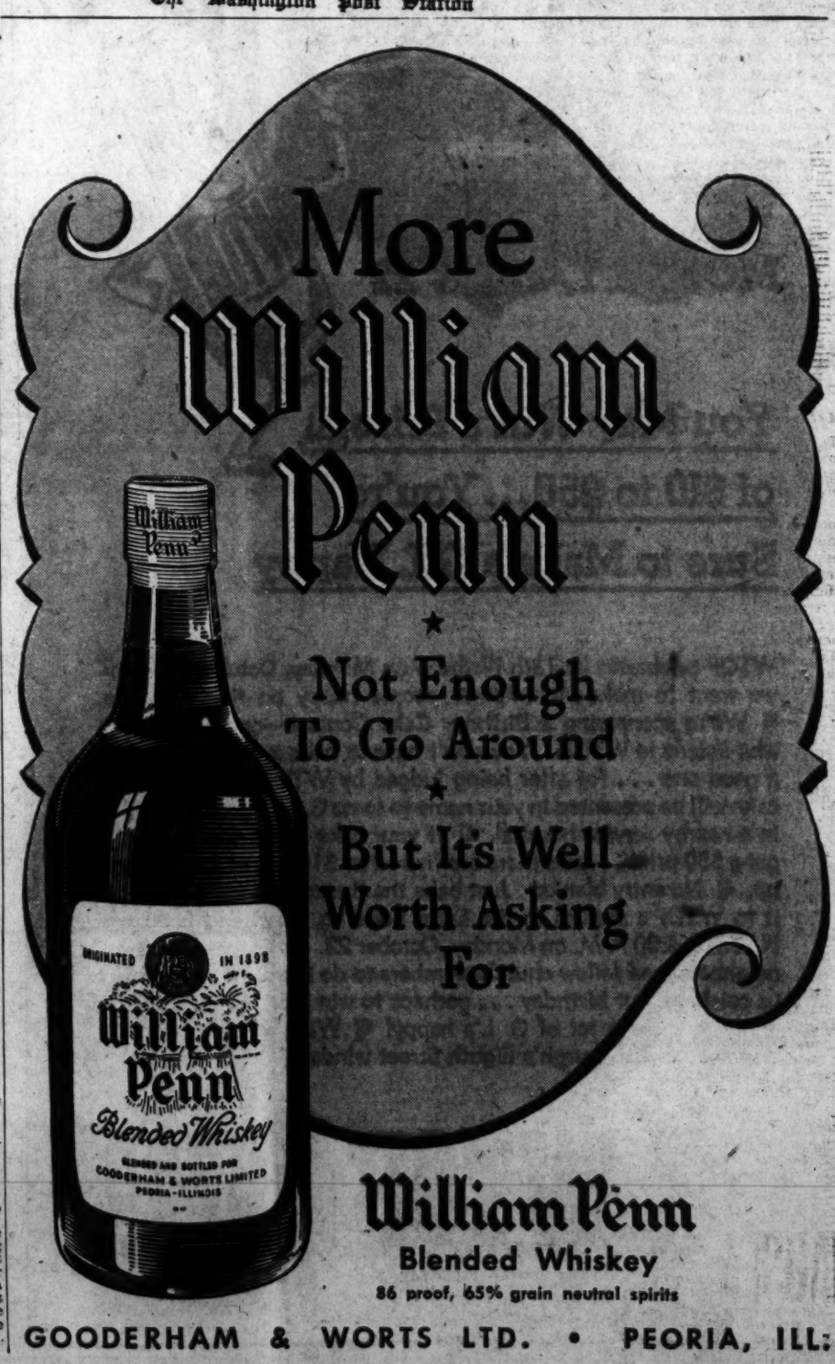
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The contradiction is so glaring—at least to others if not to ourselves—that it is bound to snarl up all our transactions. We can legitimately claim an interest in the settlement of eastern Europe. But when we rest that claim on an inflated moral principle, which we do not treat as valid in our own sphere of influence, we weaken our position, as any man does who invokes a double standard of morals. Far from standing forth as the champions of moralit yagainst what it is the fashion to call power politics, we are incurring the grave suspicion of using morality as an instrument of our own power politics.

THIS IS NOT the only example of contradiction and conflict within the American conscience. We have put ourselves forward also as the champions of liberty, as in fact we can and indeed we should. But we are not likely to convince mankind that we believe in liberty if the best we can think of to do with our knowledge of the atomic bomb is to make a monopoly of it maintained by an hysterical censorship.

All that is likely to accomplish is to precipitate a competition in armaments of the most vicious kind, and to deceive not our potential enemies but our own people. For our people are being persuaded that they may disarm, relying for their security upon a few scientific magicians who will press buttons in laboratories. It is fantastic that a free country, one so free that every secret leaks out almost immediately, should imagine that it can over a period of years beat a totalitarian state at the game of keeping secrets. Surely if we believe in liberty, and Americans have no other choice because that is the vital principle of our existence as a nation, we must seek security from the appalling danger of atomic explosions in the widest and freest diffusion of knowledge. Whatever the risks of that, the alternative is simply impossible. We are irrevocably committed to freedom. How can we expect to break through the censorship of newspaper reports in Sofia and Belgrade when we are proposing to establish a censorship of science in Washington?

ONLY CLEAR POLICY can in these stubborn and chaotic days prevail. But clear policy can be formed only in clear minds, and no man's mind will be clear if his heart is at odds with his stomach, and his conscience is split. We cannot have one principle for Sunday and another for Monday, one for the State Department and another for the Navy Department, one for east longitude and another for west longitude. For like Buridan's ass, which stood between two equally tempting bales of hay and starved to death, we shall become enfeebled and passive and static, pulled in all directions and going in none. Yet that is what is happening as we attempt to please everybody by adopting all principles at once.

In the end we shall please nobody, least of all ourselves, if those who have the responsibility of leading the country make it their purpose to be popular rather than to make popular a consistent national purpose.

Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"Try and think now—can't you even remember your WIFE?"

Late Navy Figures Show 35 Dead In Okinawa Storm

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Pearl Harbor, Oct. 16 (AP).—Revised Navy casualty figures issued today on the typhoon which lashed Okinawa last week showed 35 dead and 41 missing, but the Navy said these figures probably would be increased on receipt of more complete information. Ninety-one persons were seriously injured and 332 received minor injuries.

Seven ships were lost. Nineteen vessels were so badly damaged that their commanding officers consider them a total loss. An additional 34 ships suffered serious structural damage and four others minor damage. Eighty per cent of the Navy's shore establishments on Okinawa were damaged or wiped out.

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Immediate Plebiscite Urged by Greek King

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Athens, Oct. 16 (U.P.).—The Republican press said today King George II of Greece has informed Archbishop Damaskinos, Greek regent, that events had proved wrong the suggestion of Britain, United States and France for a postponement of a plebiscite on the return of the monarchy, and that nation-wide elections should be held as soon as possible under a caretaker government.

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Brazilian Army Officers Here After Service in Italian Zone

Nine Brazilian officers, headed by the commander of Brazil's Expeditionary force in Italy, were guests of honor in Washington yesterday, prior to a two-week tour of Army installations in this country.

They were guests of Gen. George C. Marshall at a luncheon at the Pentagon, after which Major Gen. Jose Batista Mascarenhos De Morais placed a wreath on the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. De Morais led the Brazilian forces in Italy.

Thursday the party will call on President Truman and Secretary of War Patterson and be entertained at a reception at the Brazilian embassy in the evening. Friday they go to West Point where a parade will be staged in their honor.

Sunday the group will start an investigation tour, visiting Fort Knox, Ky., Fort Leavenworth, Kans., Fort Sill, Okla., and Fort Benning, Ga. The officers also will visit Bushnell General Hospital near Salt Lake City, Utah, where wounded members of the Brazilian Expeditionary force are being rehabilitated.

In addition to DeMorais, the officers are Col. Humberto De Alencar Castello Branco, Col. Nestor Penha Brasil, Col. Alvaro Pratti De Aguiar, Col. Ferando De Saboia De Mollo, Lieut. Col. Juan Adil De Oliveira, Col. Pavlo Figveiredo, Capt. Rubens Alve De Vasconellos, and Capt. Humberto Agviar. They are at the Mayflower Hotel while in Washington.

Lopez Analyzes Filipinos' Desire For Independence

The Philippine people want independence so they can repay their debt of gratitude to the United States, Maj. Pedro Lopez, member of the Philippine Rehabilitation Commission and of the Philippine Congress, said yesterday in an address before a student assembly at Maryland University.

He urged the 3500 students present to study and try to understand the Philippine attitude toward independence.

No Filipino, he said, regrets the tough fight he put up under Japanese domination though making the decision to fight instead of cooperating with the Japs was hard.

Major Lopez, leader of the guerilla forces, praised the United States for sharing resources and knowledge with the Philippines instead of exploiting the islands natural resources as Spain had done.

WPB Urges Groups To Continue With Tin Can Salvage

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The Government stepped out of the can-salvage program yesterday, but urged committees to keep collecting tin cans.

A War Production Board spokesman said there are no plans to transfer its salvage programs to the civilian production administration when WPB goes out of business November 3.

WPB's tin division, however, called on volunteer salvage committees "to continue their efforts and thus insure a steady flow of scrap to the detinning plants."

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• Convenient phone system connects hostess and pilots . . . overhead racks provide storage for cushions and blankets . . . all lights are easily replaced in flight . . . no more walking up hill! The new tricycle landing gear gives a level floor while on the ground.

• Large door and vestibule eliminate congestion . . . luggage bins and coat closets are located so as to speed passenger exit and entry.

• Vestibule is separated from cabin by curtain, to cut off cold drafts in cabin when plane is on ground with door open, as when loading buffet. Complete servicing of lavatory can be done through rear cargo compartment.

• The 202 is designed for unusual stability, minimizing passenger discomfort in rough weather—contains new-style, adjustable, ultra-comfortable seats which afford unobstructed leg room.

• Cabin is heavily soundproofed, permitting passengers to sleep, or converse in ordinary tones. Modern, automatic heating and ventilating systems, operative on ground as well as in the air, require minimum of monitoring and are controlled from hostess' station.

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Local Brokers Favor 5-Day Market Week

By S. Oliver Goodman

Sentiment in Washington brokerage circles is overwhelmingly in favor of a five-day market week, a poll by The Washington Post indicated last night.

The proposal came to the fore last week when the New York Stock Exchange unexpectedly announced it would extend the Friday holiday shutdown to include Saturday. The question of extending such Saturday shutdowns throughout the year is being discussed in high quarters, it was understood.

Among arguments for year-round closings of markets and brokerage offices on Saturday was the growing difficulty in obtaining and holding personnel against competition of other types of business which operate on a five-day basis.

Opinion in local financial circles follows:

John J. Avey of W. H. Bell & Co.—I think we can accomplish just as much in five days as in six.

Thomas C. Montgomery of Ferris, Exnicios & Co., Inc. We tried it this summer and it worked very well.

Oscar P. Hunt of Robert C. Jones & Co.—In this particular office, we'd all vote twice on it. We're 200 per cent for it.

Charles B. Quarles of Orvis Bros. & Co.—I haven't had a vacation since 1939. Since we have been going about double wartime speed with half complement, it would be a welcome relief.

Robert Menzel of Hemphill, Noyes & Co.—We would welcome it.

G. Bowie Chipman of Laidlaw & Co.—I think the proposal is rotten. I am absolutely against it. We have to work sometimes.

Yelverton E. Booker of Alex Brown & Sons—I have nothing against it, but I haven't given the proposal much thought.

Paul Rodler of Hibbs & Co.—I believe it would be beneficial, judging from our summer policy of five-day working weeks.

James H. Lemon of Johnson, Lemon & Co.—We'll be here on Saturdays anyway. Brokers who do business on a commission basis will find it difficult to accept the shorter week.

Business Briefs Of D. C. Interest

Harrell Feted at Dinner

Linwood P. Harrell, newly elected president of the Morris Plan Bank of Washington, was honored last night by a reception and dinner in the Statler Hotel. Attending were more than 100 persons, including bank employes, officers, directors and their guests.

Master of ceremonies was A. Scott Offutt, bank vice president. Speakers included Thomas C. Boushall, president of the Morris Plan Bank of Virginia, and Bruce Baird, president of the District Bankers Association.

Bank Elevates Mowbray

Donald W. Mowbray has been elected an assistant treasurer of the American Security & Trust Co. and placed in charge of the Southwest branch, it was announced yesterday following a meeting of the board of directors.

Mr. Mowbray, formerly assistant manager of the branch office, attended local schools and joined the bank's staff in September, 1928. He held various offices at the main office and branches until June, 1944, when he was appointed assistant manager of the Southwest branch.

Net Shows Sizable Gain

Lincoln Service Corp., Washington industrial banking firm, yesterday reported net earnings of $157,039 for the first nine months this year, equal to $3.33 a share on common stock. This compared with $118,557, or $2.03 a share on common stock in the like 1940 period, according to Treasurer Oscar C. Mitchell.

Elected to Bank Board

Lieut. Comdr. James J. Hughes, retired, naval hero of the USS Panay sinking in 1937, was elected successor to the late Simeon Price as a director of the National Bank of Washington, at a meeting of the board yesterday. Comander Hughes is president of the Terminal Refrigerating & Warehousing Corp. Mr. Price also headed the corporation at the time of his death last year.

Earnings Statements

Johns-Manville Corp., and subsidiary companies report for the third quarter of 1945 net earnings of $1,038,867, equal to $1.13 a common share, compared with $1,217,317, or $1.43 a common share, for corresponding period last year.

Distillers Corp.-Seagrams, Ltd., and subsidiaries report net profit for fiscal year ended July 31 of $13,803,800, equal to $7.50 a common share, compared with $11,436,782, or $6.12 a common share for the preceding fiscal year. Consolidated net sales rose to $400,054,519 from $321,230,764 for the preceding year.

Northrop Aircraft, Inc., reports net profit for the fiscal year ended July 31 of $747,501, or $1.85 a share, compared with $603,516, or $1.50 a share for the preceding fiscal year.

Dividend Actions

New York, Oct. 16 (AP).—Dividends declared:

Initial	Rate	Pe- riod	Stk. of record	Pay- able
A. S. Beck Shoe	20c	..	10-23	11-1
Accumulated				
Am Elec Secur pf	10c	..	10-26	10-31
Minn-Moline pf	$1.62½	..	11-3	11-5
Irregular				
Outboard Marine	40c	..	11-1	11-23
Special				
Chesapeake Packing	50c	..	11-20	12-18
Compo Shoe Mach	5c	..	11-30	12-15
Regular				
Allen Flywood Corp	25c	..	10-24	11-1
Beechnut Packing	$1	Q	12-5	1-2
Berland Shoe Strs	15c	Q	10-20	11-1
Cherry Burrell	20c	Q	10-24	10-31
Compo Shoe Mach	15c	Q	11-30	12-15
Gen Industries	10c	..	11-5	11-15
Hale Bros Strs	25c	Q	11-15	12-1
Lynch Corp	50c	Q	11-5	11-15
Midwest Oil	37½c	S	11-15	12-15
Mountain Prod	25c	S	11-15	12-15
Supreme Meter pf	$2	Q	11-1	11-15
U. S. Airtake	50c	Q	11-15	12-1
Sullivan Mchy	37½c	..	11-15	11-25
C. N. J. R. R. & Canal	$2.50	Q	10-20	1-10
Wm. Bankhardt	25c	S	10-27	11-20

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 1,800,000 shares; previous day, 1,630,000; week ago, 1,696,954; year ago, 908,215; two years ago, 611,090; January 1 to date, 288,007,233; year ago, 206,016,987; two years ago, 225,346,704.

Dow-Jones Stocks

	Open	High	Low	Close	Chgs.
	New York, Oct. 17.				
30 inds.	185.65	186.72	184.92	186.10	+0.61
20 rails	40.90	40.32	39.71	40.10	+0.21
15 utils	35.35	35.60	35.24	35.51	+0.17
65 stocks	68.93	69.34	68.66	69.11	+0.25

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 74,700; railroads, 49,730; utilities, 98,900; 65 stocks, 243,330.

	Sales, Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	2	80⅝	80⅛	80½	.....
ACF-Brill Mot	7	14⅝	14⅛	14⅜	.....
Acme Stl	1	33⅞	33⅝	33⅝	.....
Adams Exp	22	17⅝	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
Adams-Millis	1	42⅝	42⅝	42⅝	— ⅛
Addressog -Muli	10	29½	29¼	29½	+ ⅛
Air Reduction	9	51⅜	51	51	—1
Alaska Juneau	139	8¼	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
Allegheny Corp	109	4¼	4⅛	4⅛	+ ⅛
Allegheny pf	15	52⅝	52	52⅛	+ ⅛
Allegheny pr pf	2	62½	62½	62½	.....
Allen Ltd Stl	16	38⅜	38⅛	38⅛	— ⅛
Allen Industries	9	22¼	22⅛	22⅛	— ⅛
Al Chem & Dye	1	181¼	181¼	181¼	— ¼
Allied Kid	10	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	+ ⅛
Allied Mills	27	33¾	33½	33⅝	+ ⅛
Allied Strs	13	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	.....
Allis-Ch Mfg	33	52	51	51⅝	—1⅛
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	11	129	128¾	127⅞	— ⅜
Alpha P Cmn	2	33	32½	32⅝	— ⅛
Amal Leather	6	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅛
Amerada Pet	17	136	130	136	+6
Am Ag Ch Del	9	39	38	39	+1
Am Airlines	2	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	.....
Am Bank Note	2	32¾	32⅝	32⅝	— ⅛
Am Bosch	2	18¾	18½	18½	— ⅛
Am Brake Shoe	11	55	54½	54½	— ⅛
Am Cable & R	59	13⅛	12⅞	12⅞	— ⅛
Am Can	7	110	108	108¼	—1
Am Car & Fdy	8	59⅞	58½	59⅛	+ ⅛
Am Car & F pf	1	116⅞	116⅞	116⅞	— ⅛
Am Ch & Cable	2	36⅞	36⅞	36⅞	— ⅛
Am Colortype	6	21⅜	21⅛	21⅛	— ⅛
Am Crystal Sug	3	24⅛	24	24⅛	+ ⅛
Am Encaus Til	57	44⅛	43	43½	+ 1
Am Encaus Til	6	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	.....
Am European	2	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	+ ⅛
Am Gasoweld Co	2	40¾	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
Am & For Powlll	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	.....
Am &FP36pf	1	105⅛	105⅛	105⅛	+ ⅛
Am & FP37pf	1	112	112	112	.....
Am & F Pzpf	17	32	31⅛	31⅜	.....
Am-Hawaii SS	1	44	44	44	.....
Am Hide & Lea	11	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	.....
Am Home Prod	84	84½	84⅛	84⅛	— ⅛
Am Ice	10	10⅛	10	10	— ⅛
Am Internation	22	12⅛	12	12	— ⅛
Am Invest Ill	6	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛
Am Invest Ill pf	1	53½	53½	53½	+ ⅛
Am Locomot	25	36⅜	36⅛	36⅛	— ⅛
Am Locomot pf	2	116¼	116¼	116¼	— ⅛
Am M & Pdy	35	33	32½	33	.....
Am M & Met	123	4¾	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅛
Am Metal	12	33½	33	33	+ ⅛
Am Pow & Lt	215	9¾	9	9⅛	+ ⅛
Am P&L $5 pf	24	91	89½	91	+ 1¼
Am P&L $6 pf	29	83	79½	83	+ 3
Am Rad & St S	57	17	16⅝	17	.....
Am Roll Mill	49	28⅝	28	28⅛	+ ⅛
Am Safety Raz	3	28¾	28½	28½	— ⅛
Am Seating	2	29¾	29½	29½	— ⅛
Am Ship Bldg	2	41	40½	40½	— ⅛
Am Smelt & R	25	62½	61⅝	62½	+ ⅛
Am Snuff	1	47	47	47	.....
Am Stl Fdrs	13	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	— ⅛
Am Stores	2	24⅝	24⅝	24⅝	— ⅛
Am Stove	5	30¾	30¼	30¼	— ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	24	52	51⅝	51⅝	— ⅛
Am Sugar pf	2	142	141¾	141¾	— ⅛
Am Sumat Tob	2	42¼	42¼	42¼	+ ⅛
Am Tel & Tel	18	185	184⅝	185	+ ⅛
Am Tobacco	1	86⅛	86⅛	86⅛	— ⅛
Am Tob B	3	90⅜	89¾	90⅛	— ⅛
Am Type Fdrs	12	20⅛	19⅞	20	.....
Am Viscose	3	60	59⅝	59⅝	+ ⅛
Am Viscose pf	1	117½	117½	117½	— ⅛
Am Wat Wks	92	18⅛	17⅞	18⅛	+ ⅛
Am Woolen	9	23½	23	23⅜	.....
Am Woolen pf	2	121¼	120¼	120¼	—1
Am Zinc L & S	77	11	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Anaconda Cop	53	39	38⅞	39	+ ⅛
Anchor Hock Gl	1	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	.....
Anderson Clayt	1	40¼	40¼	40¼	.....
Andes Copper	6	16⅛	16	16⅛	.....
A P W Prod	4	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	+ ⅛
Arch-Dan-Mid	5	29⅛	29	29⅛	+ ⅛
Armour & Co	93	11¼	11¼	11¼	.....
Armour pr pf	1	119	119	119	.....
Armstrong Cork	4	54⅛	54	54⅛	+ ⅛
Arnold Const	1	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	+ ⅛
Artloom Corp	14	16⅞	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Assd Dry Goods	4	33⅓	33	33⅓	.....
Atch T & S F	13	97½	96⅝	97	.....
Atch T&SF pf	2	114	114	114	.....
Atl Coast Line	11	70½	69⅝	70⅛	+ ⅛
Atl Re'ning	10	38	37⅝	38	.....
Auburn Corp	7	19⅛	19⅛	19⅛	— ⅛
Aust Nichols	8	16⅛	15⅞	16⅛	+ ⅛
Autocar Co	1	20⅞	20⅛	20⅜	+ ⅛
Aviation Corp	79	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
Baid Loco	39	30⅜	29⅞	30⅛	— ⅛
Balt & Ohio	52	23⅜	23⅛	23⅜	+ ⅛
Balt & Ohio pf	27	37¾	36¾	37¾	+ 1⅛
Bangor & Ar	1	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜	— ⅛
Barber Asph	4	40⅛	40	40	.....
Barnsdall Oil	19	21½	20⅞	21⅛	+ ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	16	17⅞	17⅝	17⅝	— ⅛
Bayuk Cigars	22	43⅞	43½	43⅝	+ ⅛
Beech Aire	60	14⅝	14¼	14⅜	.....
Bell Aire	12	24¾	24½	266	+ ⅛
Bell & Howell	5	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	5	61	60⅜	60⅝	— ⅛
Benef Ind Ln	17	26⅜	26⅛	26⅜	.....
Best & Co	3	40⅝	40½	40½	— ⅛
Best Foods	7	23	22⅞	23	+ ⅛
Beth Steel	39	96⅞	94⅝	95⅝	— ⅛
Beth Steel pf	1	145¾	145¾	145¾	— ⅛
Black & Decker	7	31	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅛
Blaw-Knox	14	19⅜	19⅛	19⅛	— ⅛
Boeing Airplane	46	27⅝	27⅜	27⅜	— ⅛
Bohn Al & Br	1	66	66	66	.....
'Bon Ami B	1	63½	61¾	63½	+ 1⅝
Bond Strs	12	34½	34	34	.....
Bond Strs pf	1	161	161	161	+ 8
Borden Co	14	44	43½	43⅝	— ⅛
Borg-Warner	11	52	51⅝	51⅝	— ⅛
Boston & Me	3	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	— ⅛
Brandt Cmw	1	22⅞	22⅜	22⅜	— ⅛
Brewing Corp Am	1	63	63	63	+ 1
Bridg'pt Brass	21	17	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Briggs Mfg	6	50⅛	50	50⅛	+ ⅛
Briggs & Strat	1	49	49	49	.....
Brklyn Un Gas	22	33½	32⅞	33⅛	+ ⅛
Brunswick-Blk	1	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	+ ⅛
Bucyrus-Erie	10	18⅛	18	18	— ⅛
Budd Mfg	19	18¼	17⅝	18⅛	+ ⅛
Budd Wheel	9	20⅝	20½	20⅝	.....
Buffalo Forge	1	35	35	35	.....
Bullard Co	4	27½	27	27	— ⅛
Bulova Watch	3	31⅛	31	31¼	— ⅛
Burling Mills	19	34⅛	33⅝	33⅞	+ ⅛
Burr Add Mach	35	17⅞	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
Bush Term Sou	2	10½	9¾	10⅛	+ ⅛
Butler Bros	8	25	25	25	+ ⅛
Butte Cop & Z	52	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	.....
Byers (AM) Co	15	23⅞	23¾	23¾	+ ⅛
Byron Jackson	1	29⅜	29⅜	29⅜	.....
Calif Pack	3	36⅛	36⅛	36⅛	+ ⅛
Calahan Z-Ld	351	3¼	3	3⅛	.....
Calumet & H	103	6	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	3	45	44	45	+ 1
Can Sou Ry	1	49½	49½	49½	+ ⅛
Canad Pac	58	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛	+ ⅛
Capital Admin	1	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	.....
Carpenter Stl	2	42	42	42	.....
Carrier Corp	15	30⅛	30	30	.....
Carriers & G	1	30¼	30	30	.....
Case (J I) Co	56	44½	42¾	44½	+ 1⅝
Caterpil Trac	12	69½	68⅜	69	.....
Celanese Corp	12	51⅞	51⅛	51⅛	— ⅛
Celanese 7i	818	7	7	7	.....
Celotex Corp	7	20	20	20	— ⅛
Celotex Cor pf	4	21	20¾	20¾	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	14	23¼	22	23¼	+ ⅛
Cent Foundry	1	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	.....
Cent RR N J	2	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Cent Vio Sug	7	34	32½	34	+ 1⅛
Century Rib M	1	18½	18½	18½	.....
Cerro de Pas	17	41¾	40¾	41¾	+ ⅛
Certain-td Pr	78	14¼	13⅞	14	.....
Chain Belt	1	32	32	32	.....
Champ Paper	3	43⅜	43⅜	43⅜	+ ⅛
Ches Corp Va	2	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛
Ches & Ohio	50	58⅝	58⅛	58¼	— ⅛
Chi & Ill A	4	8½	8	8	— ⅛
Chi & E Ill A	3	21⅜	21⅛	21⅜	.....
Chi Grt West	16	9⅝	9¼	9⅜	— ⅛
Chi Gr W pf	4	28⅝	28⅜	28⅜	— ⅛
ChiMStP&Ppf	71	26⅝	26⅜	26⅜	— ⅛
Chi Mail Or	1	29¼	29¼	29¼	— ⅛
ChiMStP&Pdf	40	68⅝	67¾	67⅞	— ⅛
Chi & NW	38	43⅞	43½	43⅝	— ⅛
Chi & NW pf	6	72	71¾	72	.....
Chi Pneu Tool	7	29¾	29¾	29¾	— ⅛
Chi P T $3 pf	1	58	58	58	—1⅛
Chi Yell Cab	2	21	21	21	.....
Chickasaba C O	7	19⅛	18½	18¾	+ ⅛
Childs Co	6	8⅛	8	8	.....
Chrysler Corp	33	125⅞	125	125½	— ⅛
CIT Financial	25	52¼	52¼	52¼	— ⅛
City Ice&Fuel	1	24⅞	24⅞	24⅞	+ ⅛
City Stores	8	16⅞	16¼	16⅜	+ ⅛
Climax Molyb	20	40⅛	40⅛	40⅛	.....
Cluett Peabody	5	53½	52½	52½	—1
Col-Palm-P	2	40¼	40¼	40¼	.....
Col Fuel & Alk	3	44	44	44	.....
Colum Br'cast A	2	43	42¾	43	— ⅛
Colum Br'cast B	1	42¼	42¼	42¼	— ⅛
Colum G & E	169	9¼	9	9¼	.....
Col G&E 6% pf	2	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛	+ ⅛
Colum Pict	1	28⅜	28⅜	28⅜	+ ⅛
Colum Carbon	4	38⅞	38⅛	38⅛	— ⅛
Coml Credit	5	48⅝	48⅝	48⅝	.....
Coml Solventa	130	20¼	18⅞	20⅛	+ 1⅛
Com'wlth Edis	16	32⅞	32⅜	32⅝	+ ⅛
Com'w & Sou	128	3	3	3	.....
Com'w & Sou pf	19	110¼	110	110⅜	+ ⅛
Conde Nast	7	43¼	43¼	43¼	— ⅛
Consol-Nairn	4	37	37	37	— ⅛
Consol Cigar	1	41¾	41½	41½	+ ⅛
Cons Copperm	124	5½	5¼	5½	+ ⅛
Cons Edison	66	33	32⅞	33	.....
Cons Edison pf	1	108	108	108	.....
Consol Film In	16	5⅝	5½	5⅝	— ⅛
Cons F Ind pf	21	35⅝	35⅜	35½	+ ⅛
Cons Laundries	2	12⅜	12¼	12⅜	+ ⅛
Cons Nat Gas	5	42⅝	42⅜	42⅝	+ ⅛
Con R R Cub pf	47	21⅜	20⅞	21⅜	+ 1⅛
Cons Vultee	22	25⅛	25¼	25¼	— ⅛
Consol'n Coal	14	26⅞	26⅛	26⅜	— ⅛
Container Corp	2	35⅝	35⅝	35⅝	— ⅛
Cont Bak	14	11⅞	11⅜	11⅝	— ⅛
Cont Bak pf	1	103¼	103¼	103¼	+ ⅛
Cont Can	5	49¼	49	49	.....
Cont Can pf	1	107½	107½	107½	+ ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	24	15¾	15½	15⅝	.....
Cont Ins	3	57½	57	57½	— ⅛
Cont Motors	53	16⅛	16	16	— ⅛
Cont Oil Del	26	36⅛	35¾	36⅛	+ ⅛
Cooper-Bess	4	23	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Copperweld Stl	8	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	— ⅛
Corn Products	6	70⅝	70	70	+ ⅛
Cornell-Dub El	5	20	19¾	20	+ ⅛
Corning Glass	319	8¼	7⅞	8⅛	+ ⅛
Corn Glass pf	97	30½	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅛
Cosy Inc	1	10⅛	10	10	.....
Coty Internat	16	4⅝	4½	4½	.....
Crane Co	7	39⅛	38¾	39	+ ⅛
Crane Co pf	1	103⅛	103⅛	103⅛	+ ⅛
Cream of Wh	3	32	31½	32	+ ⅛
Crosley Corp	2	37¾	37¼	37¾	+ ⅛
Crown Cork & S	15	48⅞	47⅝	48	+ ⅛
Crown Cork Pf	51	46⅝	46⅛	46½	+ ⅛
Crown Zellerb	29	28¼	27⅞	27⅞	— ⅛
Crown Zeller pf	1	103¼	103¼	103¼	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	14	49⅝	49	49⅛	— ⅛
Crucible Stl pf	65	13⅛	12⅝	13⅛	+ ⅛
Cuba R R pf	35	24⅛	24⅛	24⅛	— ⅛
Cuban-Am Sug	42	21	20⅞	20⅞	+ ⅛
Cudahy Pack	13	37⅝	37⅜	37⅝	+ ⅛
Cuneo Press	3	47½	47	47	— ⅛
Curtis Publishg	34	23⅛	22⅝	23	— ⅛
Curtis Pub pr pf	4	74½	73⅝	74½	+ ⅛
Curtiss -Wright	345	8¾	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
Curtiss-Wr A	99	30⅛	29⅝	29⅝	+ ⅛
Cutler -Hammer	8	30⅛	30⅛	30⅛	— ⅛
Davega Stores	2	19¼	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
Davison Chem	8	21⅛	21	21⅛	— ⅛
Decca Records	15	46½	44¾	46½	+ 2
Deere & Co	50	46⅛	46⅛	46⅛	.....
Deere & Co pf	1	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	— ⅛
Detroit Edison	30	24½	24⅛	24½	— ⅛
Devoe & Ray A	9	62⅝	61⅝	62⅛	— ⅛
Diamond Match	7	29	28¾	28¾	— ⅛
Diam Match pf	2	44⅞	44⅝	44⅝	— ⅛
Diam T Motor	1	24⅝	23⅝	24⅛	+ ⅛
Dist Corp-Seag	30	19⅝	19⅜	19⅜	— ⅛
Dixie Cup	2	37⅞	37⅝	37⅝	— ⅛
Doehler -Jarvis	9	28⅛	27⅞	28⅛	+ ⅛
Dome Mines	93	26	24⅝	25⅜	+ 1⅛
Douglas Aircr	2	91¼	91¼	91¼	+ ⅛
Dow Chem	1	154⅝	153	154⅝	+ 1⅝
Dow Chem pf	1	114⅛	114⅛	114⅛	— ⅛
Dresser Indust	19	31	30½	31	.....
Dunhill Int	15	21⅛	20⅝	20⅞	+ ⅛
Duplan Corp	6	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
du Pont de N	3	188½	187⅞	187⅞	+ ⅛
du Pont pf	1	167⅞	167⅞	167⅞	— ⅛
Eagle-Pitch	30	19⅝	19⅜	19⅜	— ⅛
Eastern Air L	7	86⅛	85⅛	86⅛	+ ⅛
East G Stl	3	24⅞	24⅝	24⅝	— ⅛
Eastman Kodak	20	199	197	201	+ 1⅝
Ekco Prod	2	32⅜	32⅛	32⅜	+ ⅛
Edis Bros Strs	1	35	35	35	.....
Elastic Stop N	1	10	10	10	.....
El Auto-Lite	3	63½	62	63	+ ⅛
Elec Boat	9	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛
El & Mus Ind	3	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	.....
El Pow & Lt	236	16⅞	16⅛	16⅜	— ⅛
El P &Lt $6 pf	2	137	136	137	.....
El P &Lt $7 pf	7	152½	150	151	+ ⅝
El Storage Bat	4	50½	50	50½	+ ⅛
El Paso Nat Gas	7	47	46	47	.....
Emerson El M	11	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Emer Rad & Ph	8	22⅝	22⅜	22⅜	— ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	26	31⅝	31	31⅛	+ ⅛
Equit Util Bldg	58	2¼	2¼	2¼	.....
Erie RR	57	18	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛
Eureka V Clean	7	14⅝	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
Evans Prod	1	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	— ⅛
Ex-Cell-O	2	82⅝	82⅛	82⅜	— ⅛
Exchange Buff	2	7¼	7¼	7¼	.....
Fairbanks Mor	61	60¼	60¼	60¼	.....
Fajardo Sugar	16	31⅝	31⅝	31⅝	.....
Farns Tel & R	17	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
Fed Lt & Trac	2	22½	22	22½	+ ⅛
Fed Mog Boshm	1	40⅞	40⅝	40⅝	— ⅛
Fed Mot Truck	3	12⅜	12⅛	12⅛	— ⅛
Federal D Strs	8	46	45⅝	45⅝	— ⅛
Ferro Enam	2	31⅝	31½	31½	— ⅛
Fid P Fire Ins	10	23¾	23¾	23¾	— ⅛
Firestone T & R	23	68	66⅝	67⅞	+ 1⅛
First Nat Strs	1	57	57	57	.....
Flintkote	8	32⅜	32⅛	32⅜	— ⅛
Florence Stove	1	50¼	50¼	50¼	— ⅛
Follansbee Stl	16	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	.....
Food Mach	2	64	63⅝	64	.....
Foster Wheeler	1	38⅝	38⅝	38⅝	— ⅛
Francisco Sugar	20	19⅝	19½	19⅝	+ ⅛
Freeport Sulph	6	42½	42⅛	42⅜	— ⅛
Fruehauf Tra	1	66	66	66	.....
Gabriel Co	5	4¾	4¾	4¾	.....
Gair Robert	12	7⅛	7	7⅛	+ ⅛
Gair Robt pf	4	19¼	19	19¼	.....
Gamewell Co	2	40¾	40¾	40¾	— ⅛
Gardner-Denver	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	.....
Gar Wood Ind	23	11⅛	11¼	11⅛	— ⅛
Garland Cont	3	13	13	13	.....
Gen Am Invest	19	33¾	32⅞	33⅛	+ ⅛
Gen Am Trans	1	59½	59½	59½	— ⅛
Gen Baking	11	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝	— ⅛
Gen Bronze	4	27	27	27	.....
Gen Cable	14	12⅝	12⅜	12⅜	— ⅛
Gen Cable pf	1	144	144	144	.....
Gen Cigar	4	34⅝	34⅛	34⅛	— ⅛
Gen Elec	38	48⅛	47⅝	47⅝	— ⅛
Gen Foods	9	50⅝	50⅜	50⅜	— ⅛
Gen Gas A	2	4¾	4¾	4¾	.....
Gen Mills	7	46⅛	45⅝	46	+ ⅛
Gen Mills pf	1	116

Report Shows 27.9% of Pupils In Secondary School Work

From Yesterday's Late Editions

Working pupils in Washington's white secondary schools totaled 6295 or 27.9 per cent during the fall term 1944-45. Their ages ranged from 10 to 21.

This was revealed yesterday in a report issued by the department of guidance and placement prepared for use in counseling working students.

In the junior highs 21.9 per cent worked; in the senior highs, 33.7 per cent, and in vocational highs, 48 per cent.

Statistics showed that student workers tended to be old for their grades except in the eleventh grade of vocational schools. Seven 17-year-old workers were ninth grade pupils. Several high school workers were in their 20's.

Most junior and senior high school pupils worked less than 10 hours a week, but 274 worked more than 28 hours, longer than the maximum advised by War Manpower Commission, U. S. Office of Education, and the Children's Bureau. Of this number eight were only 12, six were 13, three were 14, and one was 15. District law permits employment of children 48 hours a week even when school is in session. Federal laws applying to goods in interstate commerce limit children to 18 hours work weekly.

More than half of senior high workers held jobs in stores, 17½ per cent in Federal agencies and 13.4 per cent in service jobs. In vocational high, 53.4 per cent worked in stores; 27.3 per cent did service jobs, and 5.8 per cent held commercial jobs. Nearly one third of junior high pupils worked for newspapers, most as carriers. Twenty-six per cent worked for stores, and 19.8 per cent cared for young children. Twice as many junior high boys than girls worked, while sexes were about equally employed among high school pupils.

'Last Resort' Gets the Brush

Associated Press Photo

SUCCEEDED BY BARRACKS—Wac Sergt. Hilda Koenig, 3412 39th 39th ave., Colmar Manor, Md., sweeps out "The Last Resort," her tent home at the Air Service Command Base, Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea, before transferring to a barracks in Manila

Transit Firm Wins 'ME' Award for Third Time

Capital Transit Co. has been awarded the "ME" pennant and certificate of merit for outstanding maintenance efficiency for the third successive year, officials of the firm were informed yesterday.

The District concern was adjudged the winner in the class representing cities in the United States and Canada operating fleets of 1000 or more buses. Official Presentation of the award to E. D. Merrill, president of the company, is scheduled during the executive conference of the American Transit Association in Chicago on November 2.

The cowboy was well remembered in the naming of Texas towns. There's a Blanket, a Bronco, a Lariat, a Loop and a Spur.

Patuxent Naval Center to Conduct Open House Oct. 27

Patuxent, Md., Oct. 17 (U.P.).—The naval air test center here will hold an open house October27 for southern Marylanders, who will tour the huge base and witness a display of all types of naval aircraft used in the war, plus some post surrender unveilings such as the Ryan "fireball."

Top Navy test pilots will give demonstrations at the 6800-acre Cedar Point tract where test work has been the major function since the station set up five divisions to ferret out the "bugs" in experimental models of the Navy planes before they are accepted.

The Patuxent River naval air station is also headquarters for the Commander, Naval Air Transport Service, Atlantic Wing. Two national squadrons are based here.

At this station, which was a forest 3½ years ago, the Navy conducts flight, electronics, service, armament and tactical tests.

It has four runways, all over 1 mile in length, with the longest 8500 feet. Six giant double concrete-arch hangars, two steel-arch hangars and one wood-arch hangar, largest of its kind in the country, house the centers planes.

Bar Head Praises West's Selection

Hugh H. Obear, president of the District Bar Association, yesterday praised the Commissioners' selection of Vernon E. West as the city's next corporation counsel.

In a letter to West, Obear said: "I know of no elevation in office more deserved and justified than this. I certainly congratulate the District Commissioners on their good judgment in selecting you."

West has been serving as principal assistant corporation counsel. He is slated to succeed Richmond B. Keech, who expects to wind up his corporation counsel duties this week in order to go to the White House as an administrative assistant to the President.

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Granville Gude Victory Loan Head For Retail Group

Granville Gude was named Victory Loan Chairman of the Retail Division Tuesday by W. J. Waller, chairman of the District War Finance Committee. Gude had previously served in that capacity during the 5th, 6th and 7th War Loans.

Gude

His appointment was announced at a luncheon at the Mayflower Hotel attended by representatives of Washington retail firms. After Waller had pointed out the need for Victory Loan money in veterans' rehabilitation, the division adopted an average quota of $300 for each employe in the retail business. Sales to customers and others will be applied toward the quota.

Gude urged retailers to step up bond promotion through window displays, newspapers space and radio time.

Guatemala Coup Foiled, Rebels' Trial Reveals

Guatemala City, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Assassination of President Juan Jose Arevalo was planned by his antidemcoratic opponents in a counter-revolutionary coup scheduled for last September 29 but it was discovered and forestalled by the government, according to charges filed against alleged leaders who went on trial today.

Arevalo, president since March 15, was popularly elected in December, 1944.

Show Time

STAGE

National — "The Next Half Hour," at 8:30 p. m.

Gayety—Burlesque continuous from 11:30 a. m. to 5 p. m. Evenings at 8:30 p. m.

SCREEN

Capitol—"The Southerner," at

Capitol—"The House on 92d St., at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 9:55 p. m. Stage show at 1:05, 3:50, 6:35 and 9:20 p. m.

Earle—"Over 21," at 10:30 a. m., 12:45, 3, 5:10, 7:25 and 9:40 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Northwest Mounted Police," at 10:15 a. m., 12:30, 2:45, 4:55, 7:10 and 9:25 p. m.

RKO-Keith's — "Johnny Angel," at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:40, 5:45, 7:50 and 9:55 p. m.

Palace — "Duffy's Tavern," at 11:50 a. m., 2:20, 4:45, 7:75 and 9:40 p. m.

Columbia — "Her Highness and the Bellboy," at 11 a. m., 1:05, 3:10, 5:20, 7:25 and 9:35 p. m.

Little—"Hold Back the Dawn," at 11 a.m., 1, 3, 5, 7:25 and 9:50 p. m.

Pix—"Heart of the Nation, at 2, 4:45, 7:30 and 10:05 p. m. "Crazy Knights," at 3:30, 6:15 and 9 p. m.

Trans-Lux — Newsreels and shorts at 10:15 and 11:30 a. m., 12:45, 2, 3:15, 4:30, 5:45, 7, 8:15, 9:30, 10:45 p. m.

Ambassador—"Over 21," at 1:15, 3:20, 5:20, 7:20 and 9:40 p. m.

Hippodrome—"The Mad Emperor," at 2:10, 5:10 and 8:10 p. m. "Heart of Paris," at 3:35, 6:35 and 9:35 p. m.

President's Plan to Reshuffle Federal Agencies Restricted

By the Associated Press

From Yesterday's Late Editions

The Senate Judiciary Committee sliced down to near half-loaf size yesterday the broad authority to reorganize the Government which President Truman had asked of Congress.

Rewriting House-approved legislation, the committee put in provisions that:

1. No change shall be made in the status of 13 agencies. (This still leaves 90 or more that the President can shift about.)

2. Any reorganization plan may be vetoed by either House or Senate, acting alone.

The agencies exempted from reorganization are the Federal Communications, Interstate Commerce, Federal Trade, Securities and Exchange, Tariff, and Federal Power Commissions, the Federal Land Bank System, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the National Mediation Board, the National Railroad Adjustment Board, Railroad Retirement Board, District of Columbia Government, and the General Accounting Office.

With the exception of these agencies, the measure allows the President to draw plans for shifting and consolidating Government agencies to achieve efficiency and economy.

Any reorganization plan, however, must be submitted to Congress. It would become effective 60 days later unless either House or Senate adopted a resolution of disapproval.

As the measure came from the House, it required that both House and Senate adopt a resolution of disapproval in order to invalidate a reorganization proposal.

The House voted to exempt completely from reorganization only the Federal Trade, Interstate Commerce and Securities and Exchange commissions and the three railway labor agencies.

The idea that one chamber of Congress alone should be able to veto a reorganization plan has been plugged from the start by Senator Ferguson (R., Mich.).

In the committee showdown, however, the fight for it was led by Senator Wheeler (D., Mont.), one of the President's close friends.

Wheeler told reporters he wanted a tighter congressional grip "because you and I know the President can't and won't draft these reorganization plans."

"Somebody does it for him," he added. "And nine out of ten of these professional reorganizers don't know as much about what they are doing as do members of Congress."

Even in Chinese Hurley Knows His 'Red River Valley'

Patrick J. Hurley, ambassador to China, proudly lists his birthplace as "Choctaw Nation, Indian Territory, now Oklahoma." He is proud, too, of the fact that he has meandered over the Red River Valley. And thereby hangs the newest Hurley tale, brought home from China and heard yesterday by some friends.

The ambassador was guest of honor at a review of Chinese and American troops near Chungking. That night he was guest at a dinner.

In mid-evening about fifty boys and fifty girls marched onto a platform and raised their voices in the Chinese words of a song.

Ambassador Hurley listened. "That sounds familiar," he said. He listened some more. "It sure is familiar," he said. Then he beamed, and exclaimed: "Why, that's 'Red River Valley.'"

The children beamed, too. They had rehearsed the ambassador's favorite song for six hours at the instigation of Rear Admiral Milton E. Miles, commander of U. S. Navy shore forces in China. The children were orphans or half-orphans of Chinese guerilla fighters killed in warfare against the Japanese.

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Man Can Avoid Jail by Reporting To Glenn Dale

A 53-year-old Negro had a jail sentence suspended in Municipal Court Tuesday on condition that he report to Glenn Dale Sanatorium today for tuberculosis treatment.

He was Joseph Towels, 53, of 2437 Snows Court nw., accused of being infected with a communicable disease.

Dr. A. Barklie Coulter, District tuberculosis bureau director, said that Towels failed to show up for treatment after two doctors had recommended hospitalization.

Judge Armond W. Scott imposed a suspended sentence of $100 and 30 days on condition that the man report at the hospital today. The jurist told Towels, "This is not by way of punishment, but for your protection and that of the public."

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This Morning

With Shirley Povich

Comdr. Oscar Hagberg, who skippered one of the larger type American submarines that dunked many a Jap ship in the Pacific, betakes himself on another mission this week. As Navy's football coach, he's trying to take dead aim on Georgia Tech.

Povich

Georgia Tech blighted Hagberg's first season as the Navy coach last year with a 17-15 victory at Atlanta, and the good commander has been a bit restive until he gets another crack at 'em. Tech comes within Navy's sights again on Saturday at Baltimore at 7:30 p. m., just after dusk, which the submarine folks have always regarded as happy hunting time.

Hagberg admits he was not pleased with Navy's effort of last week, despite the 28-0 victory over Penn State. The Middies bungled too much and didn't have too much to beat. Hagberg had feared just such a dismal performance. It was the week of the academy's 100th anniversary, and there were parades, and balls, and classes were out, and everybody had a gay time, including his football players.

"They were in a centennial mood," said Hagberg, "and that explains our bad game." And then he added, smilingly, "The trouble is, a football coach can use that alibi only every 100 years."

Like Navy, Georgia Tech is in the throes of learning the T-formation this season, and under a new head coach. Bobby Dodd, the old Tennessee flash, has replaced Bill Alexander as coach of the Yellowjackets, but he is not exactly a green pea. He was Alex's backfield coach for 15 years and acting head coach many times during that period.

Ray Swartz, who has been scouting Georgia Tech for Navy, has been something of an alarmist, in the best tradition of all scouts. He's been warning Navy to discount Tech's 40-7 defeat by Notre Dame, pointing out that the Yellowjackets were the first to score in that game, and several Irish touchdowns came cheaply.

Tech's George Matthews is the best back he's seen all season, reports Swartz, and Navy can well believe that. They saw entirely too much of Matthews last year at Atlanta, especially as a pass receiver. And still with the Yellowjackets is Allen Bowen, the 17-year-old lad who kicked the winning field goal from an angle on Navy's 20-yard line in the last period.

There were too many symptoms of Navy's "centennial mood" last Saturday to please Hagberg despite the four-touchdown margin over Penn State. "Dick Duden, who is a fine kick-off man, booted his first two kick-offs out of bounds and gave Penn State the ball on the 40-yard line," Hagberg pointed out. "And Bob Hoernschmeyer, our quarterback, who didn't fumble at all in our first two games, fumbled twice against Penn State."

The nice thing about Navy's Centennial Week game was that they weren't playing Michigan or Notre Dame or Army, says Hagberg. "We couldn't have beaten a good team last Saturday. I can give a warning to all my fellow coaches now: Schedule a breather when you have one of these centennial celebrations coming up."

Bob Hoernschmeyer, the good football player who entered Navy from Indiana where he was one of the better Big Ten backs, is just beginning to get the hang of quarterbacking a T-formation, says Hagberg. "He hasn't been looking too good in practice, but I guess Saturday is the only important day in the week," says Hagberg.

Navy won't have Bob Jenkins in its backfield against Georgia Tech, and maybe not for two weeks after. Jenkins hurt his "other knee" in the Duke game and Navy is never the same without Jenkins. But Clyde Scott is off the injury list, and that's good for Navy.

Week by week, the man who is beginning to intrigue Navy's coaches is Bob Kelly, the Notre Dame boy, who hasn't been sensational as yet, but, according to Hagberg is "a swell football player." Kelly, aside from his turns with the ball, is a huge help to Navy's secondary defense, and when the Army game rolls around he'll be the fellow Blanchard and Davis will be running into, and vice versa.

Thus far, Navy's leading ground gainers have been lads with no previous college experience before entering Navy. They are Clyde Scott, from Bullis Prep, and Pete Williams, of Miami. Young Williams used to understudy Arnold Tucker, Army's quarterback, when they were both playing for Miami Senior High. In one game he substituted for Tucker and ran 86 yards for a touchdown on the next play, which is excellent under-studying.

Lost Art Revived:

Irish's Steve Krivik Putting Foot Back Into Football

By Jimmy Jordan

Chicago, Oct. 17 (AP).—Return of the drop kick as an offensive football weapon among the Midwest's bigger colleges may get new impetus this year through the booting of Notre Dame's Steve Krivik.

Not since the late, and heroic, Nile Kinnick ripped opposing lines for Iowa, and then dropped back to boot points after touchdown, has the Midwest had a good drop kicker—until now.

Krivik, recently discharged from the Army Air Forces, definitely has revived the art at Notre Dame, and his success in his first year has Western Conferenece coaches looking toward revival of that once potent weapon.

Hasn't Tried Field Goal

The Notre Dame ace hasn't tried the drop kick for field goals yet, but that may be because the pattern of the Ramblers' three games thus far have made it unnecessary. However, he has drop kicked eight points after touchdown in 11 tries—one against Illinois, four against Georgia Tech and three against Dartmouth.

It's been almost 20 years since the pattern of scoring field goals and points after touchdown shifted from the drop kick to the place kick. There have been, like Kinnick, occasional drop kickers, but none of the O'Deas, Peters and others of two decades ago.

Frosty Peters was the last of the greats, and he holds a couple of records probably unequaled in any league.

While a freshman at Montana State College, he booted 17 field goals by drop kicking against Billings Poly, November 1, 1923. In another game he kicked 15

"We agreed that every time we got inside the 30-yard line, Frosty would drop-kick one," Athletic Director Schubert Dyche of Montana State said today.

Went to Illinois

The Bobcat ace went to Illinois the following year, where he won games for Bob Zuppke with his educated toe.

In those days, however, the goal posts were on the goal line, and more stress was placed on kicking. Now, with the posts back in the end zone, the kicker is practically "penalized" 10 yards on a try.

Coaches, however, still admit the possibilities of the kick. It is faster than the place kick and eliminates the possbilty of a bad "set" by the player holding the ball. Furthermore, it gives the team one more blocker. Why it has become almost a lost art is one of the mysteries of football.

Cesarewich Victor

Newmarket, England, Oct. 17 (AP). Kerry Piper, 2 5to 1 shot, won the tough 2¼-mile Cesarewich Handicap classic today, beating Lady Crusader and Voluntary in a race upon which more than four million dollars was bet. Kerry Piper, carrying 113 pounds, beat Lady Crusader by a scant head.

Season Opens Nov. 1

Golfdom Gold Draws Top Pros of U. S.

Chicago, Oct. 17 (AP).—The largest caravan of professional golfers in history will start down golfdom's winter trail of gold November 2, and before New Year's Day will have picked up $78,665 in war bonds along the way, Fred Corcoran, PGA tournament manager, announced today.

The winter tournament trail starts at Richmond, Va., November 2, and winds up 1945 with the Bing Crosby Pro-Amateur Meet at Del Mar, Calif., December 30.

After New Year's Day, the 1946 winter schedule gets under way at Los Angeles, heads East across the South, then North from Florida into the Carolinas. Corcoran said the 1946 schedule has not been completely arranged, but added that every tournament would carry a prize of $10,000 or more.

He said former professionals now in service are expected to join the ranks of the touring caravan. E. J. (Dutch) Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., recently discharged, will be among the newcomers.

The Richmond, Va., Invitational, November 2-4, with $10,000 in war bonds as the prize, heads the schedule followed by:

North-South Tournament, Pinehurst, N. C., (being held in the Fall for the first time), November 6-8, $6,666; Durham, N. C., open, November 9-11, $6666; Mobile, Ala., open, November 16-18, $10,000; Montgomery, Ala., $10,000; Orlando, Fla., open, November 29-December 2, $10,000; Miami open, December 6-9, $15,333; Fort Worth, Tex., open, December 14-16, $10,000; Crosby's Tournament, purse to be announced.

At the Fort Worth tournament, Byron Nelson and Ben Hogan, top performers among the pros, will be playing on the same course where they were caddies together years ago.

The tentative schedule after the first of the year calls for the Los Angeles open, followed by tournaments at San Francisco and Richmond, Calif.; Phoenix and Tucson, Ariz.; one in Texas with the town to be named later; several in Florida, and Charlotte and Greensboro, N. C.

Conn Refuses To Sign for Louis Bout

By Sid Feder

New York, Oct. 17 (AP).—A lot of firecrackers went off around Promoter Mike Jacobs' beak-busting headquarters today, and the loudest of all was a flat refusal by Billy Conn to sign for his scheduled heavyweight title fight next June with Joe Louis.

The last time Billy signed for a Louis fight—in 1941—his manager, Johnny Ray, wouldn't approve the contracts until Jacobs lifted Conn's percentage of the gate, causing Mike to scream, "You're breaking both my legs." Today, Ray beefed only over the clause barring Conn from any exhibition or tuneup tussles before the Louis go.

The little blond pilot who built Conn up from a frail kid off the streets of Pittsburgh into the belter who came closest to taking Louis' title, wants Billy to have three tuneups before meeting the bomber again. To show he wasn't kidding, Johnny said he agreed verbally with Co-Promoter Freddy Sommers this afternoon to have Billy box an exhibition with Al Patterson of Pittsburgh in Kansas City auditorium November 7 on the Lee Savold-Wallace Cross card. And Sommers said the referee for the exhibition will be Louis.

Johnny Calls Lawyer

Johnny had no immediate objections over other terms. But after nearly an hour of argument with Uncle Mike, Johnny called for his lawyer to come a-running from Pittsburgh and look over the papers for the fight, which, the promoter said, would go to the town "where we can get the most money."

The lawyer, Dave B. Pitler, will be on hand tomorrow. There may be considerably more discussion but the chances are the contracts will soon be signed, probably late tomorrow.

Conn said he figured he and Ray would collect one million dollars as their share of the gate this time.

What with a slice of the motion picture and television rights, and the possibility of a piece of the radio money as well, there's a chance Conn is close to being right. Jacobs guesses the gate will hit the three-million-dollar stratosphere.

Boys in Loud Row

No one was talking about terms today,, but Billy's end for the last bout was 20 per cent.

For an hour today, Mike and Johnny hooked up in a "quiet" row you could hear, anyway, in Stillman's Gym, which is only six blocks away. It was going so good at one point, Billy bounced out of the room with a "this is too hot for me."

Sporting a size 17 neck now, Conn reported he checked in at 190 pounds after leaving the Army two weeks ago, compared to the puny 174 he was packing for his last date with Joe.

Mike, in his argument with Ray, wanted to know why, if Louis agreed to the no prefight tune-up when he signed the contracts Monday, Ray and Conn couldn't do the same.

"What do I care what Louis is doing," Ray shouted. "I'm not managing Louis. I'm managing Billy.

"You want to manage both me and Billy, Mike. But I'm not gonna let you.

"After all, Louis can't fight a tune-up fight. He's the heavyweight champion any time he goes to the post, his title's at stake."

"Suppose something happens to Billy in a tune-up," Mike countered. "Suppose he gets hurt. I think I can sell this fight just as it is, without tune-ups."

"Yeah, but that's not getting my fighter in shape. I'm going to see that Billy's ready to go when he gets in the ring with Joe."

Stuhldreher Denies Hirsch To Turn Pro

Madison, Wis., Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Coach Harry Stuhldreher of the University of Wisconsin today branded as "utterly false" the report that his former star halfback, Elroy Hirsch, had signed a contract to play with the All-America Football Conference in 1946.

The former running star of Notre Dame's Four Horsemen backfield claimed he talked to Hirsch by telephone last night. The former Badger star "strongly denied the report" that he had signed with the Chicago team in the All-America League, Stuhldreher said.

Stationed at the El Toro (Calif.) Marine Base, Hirsch has been turning down pro football offers as frequently as they came in, Stuhldreher added. The long-legged running star needs two more years of college to get a bachelor's degree, according to Stuhldreher, and he hopes to major in speech.

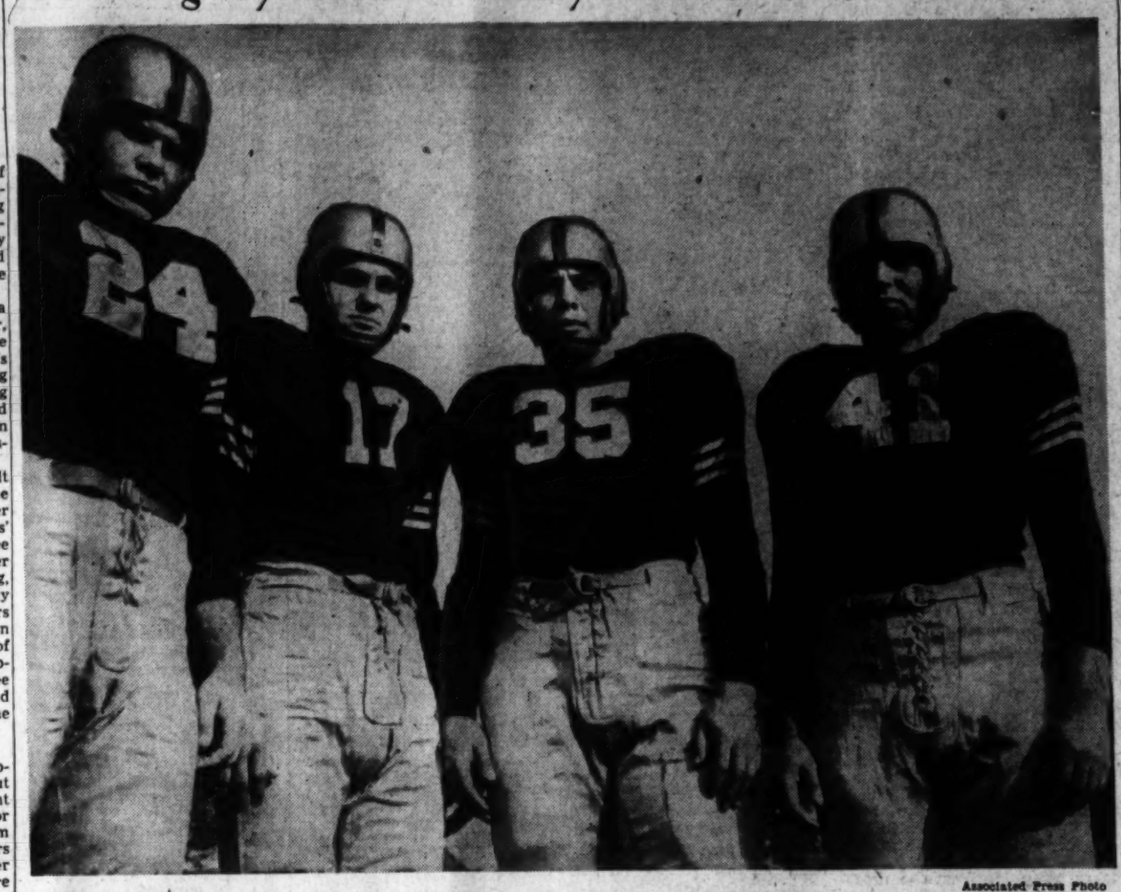
Hirsch broke into the football spotlight as a Wisconsin sophomore in 1942. He played as a Marine trainee at Michigan the following year, helping the Wolverines to the Big Ten cochampionship.

Ex-Giant Grid Star Signs With Frisco

Philadelphia, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Tackle Johnny Mellus, former New York Giant star, has "jumped" to the projected All-America Conference by signing a 1946 contract with the loop's San Francisco entry, Eastern Representative Vincent McNally announced today.

An All-American lineman at Villanova, Mellus joined the Giants of the National League upon his graduation. He has served in the Army for two years and currently is stationed at Welsh Hospital, Daytona Beach, Fla.

Four Big Cylinders in Army's Powerful Grid Machine



Associated Press Photo

These are the boys who have been taking Army to town each Saturday without fail since the start of the 1944 season, as they continued preparation for this Saturday's game with Melville P. T. team at West Point. Left to right, they are Bob Chabot, Lowell, Mass.; Arnold Tucker, Miami, Fla.; Felix (Doc) Blanchard, Bishopville, S. C., and Glen Davis, Claremont, Calif.

20 'New' Loops To Spark Baseball Boom

New York, Oct. 17 (AP).—Baseball appears ready for its biggest expansion boom since the golden days of the late 1920s with 10 "suspended" minor leagues already back in the fold and at least 10 more new circuits due to face the barrier.

Record major league and World Series attendance totals, no doubt, were instrumental factors in this head-over-heels rush to reopen the gates, but the end of the war with its resultant steady flow of former servicemen toward the diamond was the big reason.

Latest unofficial figures from the National Association of Minor Leagues revealed 3784 ball players on the national defense service list. An additional 874 were included on the voluntarily retired roles, made up largely of athletes who had left the game for defense jobs.

Must Be in Player Limit

Return of a large percentage of these performers to the clubs owning their contracts can present several embarrassing situations for the magnates. One American Association team had well over 100 men under its control although it is ordinarily permitted to lise only 37 (men on the defense, retired and ineligible lists are not included).

As soon as the former servicemen are reinstated, they must be counted in the ordinary player limit and then the headaches will begin. Placement will be a terrific problem that can be solved only by a tremendous expansion of organized ball.

Highest classification league to be reinstated is the Texas League in A1, the only circuit in that level now that the Southern Association has been upped to Double A. A wholesale revival in Class B will find the South Atlantic (Sally), Southeastern, Three I and Western International dusting off their turnstiles.

Three Circuits to Reopen

The Canadian-American, Western Association and Pioneer circuits will reopen in Class C and early Class D planners are the Georgia-Florida and the Florida State with several more expected to take definite shape during the winter.

Although the renewal or rewriting of the major-minor league agreement is expected to be the main business at the minors' convention in Columbus, December 5-7, charting the future courses of the many reinstated and new leagues will be of utmost importance.

Penn Eleven Gets Reinforcement From V-12s

Philadelphia, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Undefeated Pennsylvania got the most help from the Navy V-12 grab bag today, as two members of last year's varsity were returned to the university ROTC program, along with four other gridders who had been stationed at Wwarthmore.

Its V-12 program scheduled for abandonment November 1, Swarthmore also will lose four players to Villanova and three to Princeton. Villanova will profit by the transfer of Tackle Bill Carlin, Ursinus tackle.

End Art Littleton and Tackle Ed Marshall, both members of the 1944 Quaker eleven, were scheduled to be transferred back to Penn from Swarthmore. Guards Dan Sneberger and Hank Gorjanic, Tackle Dave Work and Ball Carriers Pete Holloway and Gene Graczyk also will be switched to Penn.

Swarthmore, with three games remaining on the schedule, will have a squad o only 15 players after the transfers. Ursinus, which also lost Halback W. R. Deemer.

Redskin Strategy:

Filchock, Often Overlooked, May Be Different Sunday

By Al Costello

Post Staff Writer

If the Redskins up and wallop the high flying Eagles of Philadelphia Sunday when they clash at Griffith Stadium in a game neither team can afford to lose, the Redskin man of the hour easily could be Frank Filchock.

Not the Filchock who alternates at quarterback with "Slinging Sammy" Baugh, but rather Left Halfback Filchock—a Filchock who will be running with the ball and catching passes instead of the Filchock who usually tosses the aerials and does the ball handling when Baugh isn't in the game.

Frank, whom many Redskin supporters are prone to overlook because of the presence of Baugh, not only has mastered the quarterback spot under the center, but has taken on extra-carricular activities and has absorbed the duties of left halfback to a "T," pun intended.

Sunday in Pittsburgh, Filchock started at left helf with Baugh in quarter. The first thing anybody knew, Frank was busting his way through the surprised Steelers for a 30 yard trek. It was the highlight of a drive which carried the Redskins to the Steeler two yard line, only to splutter and stop.

A little later, in the fourth quarter, Filchock agan took over at left half and with as neat a fake and burst of speed that would have done credit to Don Hutson, broke into the clear and took a 29-yard pass from Baugh in the end zone for what should have been a touchdown. Only trouble, the Redskins had sent an ineligible man down the field and the play was nullified.

Now with Bob Seymour, regular left halfback, suffering a broken hand, Filchock's already important presence on the squad has assumed even greater importance. Seymour, despite the broken hand, insists he'll play 60 minutes if necessary, but with a fellow like Filchock around, it isn't unreasonable to expect Coach Dud DeGroot to give Filchock the call when a replacement is necessary.

It is just about time a little more recognition came to a downright brilliant fellow like Frank Filchock. He's a pretty valuable guy to hav earound a football team—especially with what's coming up Sunday.

ATC, Marine Gridmen Meet Here Oct. 28

Washington will see its first all-service football game in years at Griffith Stadium Sunday, October 28, when the AAF's Air Transport Command Rockets battle the Cherry Point Marines of Cherry Point, N. C.

Announcement of the game reveals that the opposing elevens will pit former stars of the professional and collegiate gridirons, including two former Redskins, in the battle which may be seen by only 6000 civilians. The remainder of the seats will be for service men, women and dependents.

Civilian tickets are now on sale at Griffith Stadium and mail orders will be filled also, it was declared.

The Rockets, who have won two, lost two and tied one, are members of the Army Air Forces Football Conference and represent the ATC around the world. An assistant coach, T/Sergt. Erny Pinckert, was a star blocker for the Redskins in years gone by. The Rockets' second best ground gainer, Lieut. Johnny Goodyear, is a Redskin star of more recent vintage and has been playing excellent football with the Rockets this season.

ATC's only defeats came from the Fourth Air Force Flyers and the AAF Training Command Skymasters, both of whom are unbeaten and tied with the Third Air Force Gremlins for the leadership in the AAF League.

ATC whipped the Fort Pierce (Fla.) Naval Amphibious Forces, unbeaten last season, 13-to-10, and the AAF Personnel Distribution Comets, 15-8.

The game with the First Air Force Aces of Mitchel Field, Long Island, ended 7-to-7 but the Rockets will have a chance to wipe that off the slate Sunday when they meet the Aces again in Holyoke, Mass., in a conference tussle.

The Rockets have taken their name seriously and have used an aerial attack to gain most of their ground this season. The team's top heaver is Lieut. Beryl Clark, who led the collegiate passers of the Nation during his last year at Oklahoma U. Leading pass grabbers are Lieut. Preston Flanagan, Texas, Capt. Joe Duckworth, Colgate, and Goodyear.

Va. to Skip Vacation for VPI Grid Drills

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—Virginia's undefeated football squad, ten members of which have scored 105 points, will reassamble Wednesday, October 24 to begin practice for the Virginia Tech game, to be played at Roanoke October 27. Fa.ll examinations now are in progress and a 10-day vacation is scheduled to follow, but this will be broken by the football men as they prepare for the thirteenth meeting with Tech.

After the Gobbler game, the Cavaliers have dates with West Virginia, at Charleston; Richmond at Charlottesville, Maryland in Washington, and North Carolina in Chapel Hill.

The high-scoring ten for the Virginians are Johnny Duda, a Navy trainee who played at VPI as a civilian, and leads the Cavalier touchdown parade with five trips across the goal line; Clyde Johnson, who has three touchdowns to his credit; Charlie Ellis, the outstanding quarterback from Harrisonburg; Ray Brown, Sam Fray and Bill Sinclair, backs Hank Walker, Bill Pickett and Bob Jameson, ends, and Morris Powell, who plays no position but just kicks extra points.

Navy Loses Second Texas Football Star

Annapolis, Oct. 17 (AP).—Ralph Ellsworth of San Antonio, Tex., star halfback for Navy last year, has resigned from the Naval Academy to return to the University of Texas, where he made All-Southwest Conference backfield in 1943, unofficial sources disclosed today.

The Naval Academy withheld confirmation of Ellsworth's departure over the last weekend, but it was understood his resignation had been formally accepted by the Navy Department. At the time he left, Ellsworth was a member of the Navy's second team backfield.

The fleet 176-pound halfback, a track star as well as a football standout under Dana X. Bible at the University of Texas, was expectedto begin working out almost immediately with the Lone Star outfit.

Ellsworth, a second classman, was due to graduate in June, 1947, under the academy's accelerated course. He already had completed a year of work.

Relay Anchor

While a Midshipman, the Texan anchored the winning 440-yard relay team in the heptagonal championships of 1944. The star of Penn's runner-up team in the track event was Tony Minisi, who had replaced Ellsworth on the second string team.

The Naval Academy athletic information book compiled for newspapers said this of Ellsworth:

"Ell is an outstanding track man and football player. He has run the hundred under 10 seconds a number of times. He was an All-State halfback at Alamo Heights High School and he played at Texas University before enrolling at Annapolis.

"In 1944 he never quite measured up to his all-conference reputation in Texas but the coaches are hopeful that he will do so this season. Off his spring practice showing, plus his experience, he looms as Clyde Scott's leading competitor for a starting job, although he may have to beat out a fellow Texas speed boy, George Walmsley."

Walmsley Out

Walmsley, from Baytown, Tex., has been informed that an old ear injury would prevent him from receiving a commission if he were to graduate from the academy and he also has resigned. Walmsley left several weeks ago but no official announcement yet has been made by the Naval Academy. Also, in 1944, an All-Southwest Conference back, Walmsley has returned to Rice but has not yet played football.

Ellsworth was a star halfback and tailback on the 1943 Texas team which won the Southwest Conference championship, with five victories and one loss. The same team played in the Cotton Bowl and tied 7-7 with Randolph Field.

Test Proves Md. 'Cap Winner, British Buddy, Was Doped

Laurel, Md., Oct. 17.—The $11,575 winner's share of the Maryland Handicap was ordered held up and horses owned by Morris Wexler and trained by Jimmy McGee were barred, temporarily at least, when a report to the Maryland Racing Commission revealed the presence of caffeine in a saliva test on the horse British Buddy.

The commission sent word to local stewards today and Wexler's Unequaled and On the River were ordered scratched from today's card. The trainer had withdrawn Wexler's Westminster earlier in the day.

British Buddy won the Maryland Handicap last Saturday leading Christiania Stables' Service Pilot and Bobanet Stable's Bobanet to the wire in the distance test.

The commission announced that the case would be heard at a meeting of the commission in Baltimore on Tuesday, October 23 at 11 a. m.

British Buddy won two races here. Before the Maryland he defeated Bobanet by a nose in the Potomac Handicap.

As far as could be learned here today, this was the first time a horse trained by McGee has been in trouble and his stable has been welcomed at most tracks because of its size and fit horses for almost any kind of races.

The case is the first to involve an important stable since a horse owned by Guy Bedwell showed a positive saliva test some years ago. Bedwell was suspended for 60 days.

Phar Lap'Cap To The Doge, New Moon 3d

By Walter Haight

Post Staff Writer

Laurel, Md., Oct. 17.—Setting a new track record, W. H. Lipscomb's Mercator was an easy winner of the $7500 added Chevy Chase Steeplechase Handicap before a crowd of 12,000. The 6-year-old son of the one-time star jumper, Annapolis, recorded time of 5:00 1/5 for the 2½ miles over 17 fences, knocking 6 1/5 seconds off the mark held by War Lance and set in the 1941 running of the Chevy Chase.

Mercator turned in his sensational record without being pressed, finishing well within himself and five lengths in advance of J. M. Schiff's Shotlo. Four lengths farther back came T. T. Mott's Floating Isle to be third. The only other finisher in the starting field of six was Mrs. F. Ambrose Clark's Royal Archer, a staggering and weary fourth.

Boys and horses escpaed injury in two mishaps that marked the event. Mrs. Clark's Raylywn stumbled and unseated Jockey F. Kratz at the eighth fence, and at the same point Jockey S. O'Neill was shake noff the saddle of W. R. Chenworth's Kittiwake.

Mercator Returns $5.50

Mercator was operating in the interests of the favorite players and returned a $5.50 mutuel. Jockey W. Leonard was aboard the Lipscomb star, and the horse added $6100 in earnings.

Raylywn went to the front early but Mercator had taken over command before the Clark jumper lost rider. Shotlo made a wild bid approaching the final fence but Mercator drew out without apparent effort.

In the secondary feature, the $5000 Phar Lap Handicap, Jockey Johnny Gilbert appeared to be taking a nap aboard Mrs. P. A. B. Wdiener's Polynesian and Jockey Herb Claggett, who was much alive, booted the Pentagon Stable's The Doge into a nose victory. A length and a half behind the pair came H. L. Straus' New Moon to be third. The show horse was coupled with the winner as the Trainer F. A. Bonsal entry.

Norman Corbin's Fleetest, the former minor track star who has been undefeated here, was beaten off and in seventh place in the field of eight going six furlongs.

Jo Agnes to Front

Jo Agnes went to the front early but Polynesian came on to take command an dappeared headed for an easy victory when Claggett roused The Doge and the son of Bull Dog came on with the rush that brought top money. The Doge was clocked at 1:12 1-5 and backers of the entry collected $9.50 mutuel.

The stewards called in Gilbert and fined him $100 "For careless at the finish."

The daily double paid $186.70. Mrs. M. H. Everhart's Road Scraper, paying $13.20, hung a two-length defeat on Alan T. Clarke's Walter Haight, the half-miler trying to uphold the role of favorite in the first race. In the second, Jim Arthur's Camera Man went to the front soon after the break and stayed there, paying a healthy $22.60. Sam Brooks' Beauzar was second with G. R. Watkins' War Shy third.

Jockey Nick Jemas escaped injury in a spill marking the fourth race. He was aboard Margie Fisher's Shivaree when the colt fell soon after the start of the six furlong test for 2-year-olds. The race was won by Dion K. Kerr, jr.'s Flying Weather, a $6.80 shot ridden by Jockey D. Dodson.

A disqualification marked the eighth race. H. H. Hecht's Cannikin finished first in a nose photo with M. Newmeyer's Beggar. Cannikin drifted out in the last 70 yards interfering with Beggar nearing the finish and the stewards allowed Jockey Sterling Young's objection against Apprentice R. J. Martin who rode Cannikin. W. Y. Goldsborough's Refresh was third. Beggar paid $8.70.

Out of Service, Beau Jack Ready For All Welters

New York, Oct. 17 (AP).—Bouncing Beau Jack, the little shoe-shine boy who charged out of Augusta, Ga., to one-half of the world's lightweight championship before the war, threw his boxing gloves into the ring again today with a bid to fight any 145-pounder up to and including Welterweight Boss Red Cochrane.

Through his manager, Chick Wergeles, the sturdy little Negro with the perpetual motion style announced he had tried to land a Cochrane match, but that up to now Red wasn't having any with him.

As a result, he's aiming his sights on the winner of the third whirl between Johnny Greco and Young Tony Janiro, who collide November 9 in Madison Square Garden. Wergeles, who hasn't lost any of his speech-making ability—either quality or quantity—in the couple of years his fighter was in the Army, said Promoter Mike Jacobs had tentatively agreed to this scramble for December 14 in the Garden.

"Beau weighs 145 now," Wergeles explained. "I want him to fight a couple of 140 pounders while he still is packing the weight. He came out of the Army three weeks ago in great shape. After he gets down to regular size again, he'll go after the lightweight title once more."

Hockey Teams Tie

Bethesda-Chevy Chase High's girls' field hockey team battled to a 1-1 tie with Fairfax High yesterday at Fairfax. Mary Louise Hooks scored the Bethesda goal.

Mrs. A. B. Bower Takes Lead in Md. Golf

Shoots 82 For 164 Total, Finals Today

Still playing a steady brand of golf, Mrs. A. B. Bower, Indian Spring star, moved from second to first place yesterday as the 54-hole Maryland State women's championship tourney went through its second round at Chevy Chase Country Club.

The former Kentucky State finalist faltered on only the eighth hole as she matched her first-round 82 with nines of 43 and 39, for a two-stroke lead with 164. Second was Mrs. Charles B. Harding of the host club who added an 81 to her first day's 85.

Mrs. H. C. Covington, the Aberdeen, Md., threat who paced opening play with an 81, soared to 87 yesterday on nines of 45 and 42, giving her third at 168. That was still well ahead of the next two contenders, Mrs. Jerome Sloman of Suburban with 88, 83—171, and the defending champion, Mrs. Maurice Glick of Woodholme with 86, 86—172.

A big surprise was the 79 turned in by the host club's Mrs. Hugh Nicholson. It was the lowest of the day for the tournament to date. It also included the low nine-hole score, a 36 going out, and the only deuce of the day, on the thirteenth. The former Middle Atlantic and Virginia champion moved from far out of contention to seventh place at 95, 79—174.

The scores:

Mrs. A. B. Bower, Indian Spring	82	82	—164
Mrs. C. B. Harding, Chevy Chase	85	81	—166
Mrs. H. Covington, Aberdeen	81	87	—168
Mrs. Jerome Sloman, Suburban	88	83	—171
Mrs. Maurice Glick, Woodholme	86	86	—172
Mrs. T. Schluderberg, Baltimore	87	85	—172
Mrs. H. Nicholson, Chevy Chase	93	79	—174
Mrs. Betty P. Meckley, Kenwood	91	88	—179
Betty Garber, Argyle	92	89	—181
Mrs. M. L. Bell, Baltimore C. C.	94	93	—187
Mrs. Jas. Howard, Kenwood	98	90	—188
Mrs. L. B. Platt, Chevy Chase	93	91	—184
Mrs. R. McNitt, Kenwood	98	90	—188
Mrs. H. K. Horne, Elkridge	94	94	—188
Mrs. J. Madigan, Indian Spring	92	98	—190
Betty Ling, Indian Spring	98	91	—189
Mrs. K. S. Giles, Indian Spring	90	103	—193
Mrs. D. Henderson, Kenwood	100	99	—202
Mrs. W. P. Ossenfort, Kenwood	93	104	—197
Mrs. E. C. Atwood, Kenwood	99	99	—198
Mrs. D. W. Bashore, Kenwood	98	101	—199
Mrs. J. T. Powell, Kenwood	96	103	—199
Mrs. J. Mercer, Manor	100	92	—192
Miss Gerry Webbe, Columbia	94	101	—195
Mrs. H. Bissell, Prince Georges	91	100	—191
Mrs. Ed Widmayer, Kenwood	97	92	—189
Mrs. O. Young, Prince Georges	102	100	—203
Mrs. G. K. Petterson, Kenwood	103	112	—215
Mrs. B. S. Stinson, Kenwood	102	108	—210
Mrs. C. F. Redick, Kenwood	111	112	—223
Mrs. D. Costello, Indian Spring	98	102	—200
Mrs. H. Ravenel, Chevy Chase	104	99	—203
Mrs. Phil Israel, Chevy Chase	103	107	—210
Mrs. R. Johnson, Chevy Chase	110	99	—209
Mrs. A. Morrill, Kenwood	104	103	—207
Mrs. M. Warner, Baltimore C. C.	97	108	—205
Mrs. Andre Brewster, Elkridge	103	103	—206
Mrs. R. R. Suber, Manor	105	104	—209
Mrs. H. J. Lacy, Manor	101	106	—207
Mrs. M. J. Hewitt, Manor	101	100	—201
Mrs. J. J. Darby, Columbia	109	110	—219
Mrs. K. B. Lockett, Kenwood	120	118	—238
Mrs. E. D. Gamble, Manor	99	103	—202
Mrs. Elmer Clark, Indian Spring	108	127	—235
Mrs. T. Burrows, Indian Spring	114	127	—241
Mrs. F. G. Awalt, unattached	102	101	—203
Mrs. H. A. Knox, Kenwood	104	106	—210
Mrs. M. Shahan, Indian Spring	98	103	—201
Mrs. John Long, Indian Spring	113	95	—208
Mrs. J. Hopkinson, Kenwood	113	115	—228
Mrs. Arthur Gump, Kenwood	120	125	—245
Mrs. William Werber, Columbia	107	113	—220
Mrs. H. M. Chapman, Kenwood	100	107	—207
Mrs. H. G. Fisher, Columbia	115	119	—234
Mrs. D. E. Platt, Manor	109	134	—243
Mrs. R. A. Shank, Kenwood	114	115	—229
Mrs. A. J. Rogers, Kenwood	104	114	—218
Mrs. W. H. Goodwin, Kenwood	116	120	—236
Mrs. Ralph Wood, Kenwood	109	117	—226
Mrs. J. D. Morgan, Kenwood	110	123	—233
Mrs. A. W. Aldridge, Kenwood	122	110	—232
Mrs. C. Wilkinson, Columbia	110	131	—241
Mrs. E. V. Brumfill, Kenwood	106	112	—218
Mrs. A. Walker, Chevy Chase	104	96	—200
Mrs. J. C. White, Chevy Chase	99	106	—205

Bowers—

Out	5	5	5	4	5	4	7	5	—40	
In	4	5	4	4	4	4	5	5	—39	—82

Covington—

Out	6	4	4	4	7	6	6	4	—45	
In	4	6	4	3	4	4	5	5	—42	—87

Harding—

Out	5	5	5	3	3	5	4	7	5	—42
In	4	5	4	3	3	4	6	5	5	—39—81

Nicolson—

Out	5	4	4	3	4	3	6	4	—36	
In	3	6	4	3	6	7	5	5	5	—43—79

Jamaica

By the Associated Press

1—4½; $2500; maiden 2-year-old fillies.

Last Tower	115	Pete's Bet	110
Ellen Valjean	103	Richmond Belle	110
Ida	110	Jacopico	110
Or That	115	Miami Moon	110
Almaina	115	Miss Brickeys	108
Andriyo	110	Love Sheet	113
Queen of May	110	Mary Lotsy	110
Little Lynn	115	Hyp Hi	110
Susan Time	110	Valley Road	110
Sister Sally	115	Black Sa	113

2—4½; $3000; 4-year-olds up; class D.

Connover	111	Albuldo	111
Gramp's Image	130	Blue Serge	111
Fleetair	108	Republican	106
Bardin	115	Air Current	120
Jovine	115	Extra Base	111
Miss Black Out	113		

3—4½; $3500; 2-year-old colts, geldings.

†Gallavant	116	On the Half	111
†Joljoy	116	Zack Bill	116
Kilmobbin	111	Sandman	116
†Aero Jack	111	Glad Time	116
Blue Gem	116	Travancore	111
Vadamite	116	Middle Man	116
Round View	116	†Liberation	116
Lee Way	116	Brown Appel	111
Grandpa Max	116	†Blue Mill	111

†B. Rogers and Wheatley Stable entry.
‡Warbern Stable entry.

3—4½; $4000; 3-year-olds.

Sun Beret	116	Fighting Dan	126
Bertie S.	116	Darby Dunedin	113
†Bill Hafdey	111	Triton	121
†Apropiado	111	†Flyweight	113
†Rocco	108		

†Longchamps Farm entry.
‡C. V. Whitney entry.

4—1 1/16; $4000; 3-year-olds up; handicap.

Gaylo	109	Leaving	108
Dolly Varden	106	Mahmoudess	108
†Sequis	112	Silvestra	120
†Subsidized	116		

†Belair Stud and O. Phipps entry.

6—1 1/16; $3000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

First Gun	107	Rath Ronan	123
Plucky Boy	111	Black Swan	117
Light of Morn	115	Just John	111
Nth Tint	114	Gabe Paul	114
Captain's Aide	116	Home Run	108
Princess R. L.	107		

7—1 1/16; $2500; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Turf R.	105	Histrionic	114
Flemingsburg	110	Treat	108
Bright Camp	117	Rarified	108
Cruiser	120	Reaping Gem	107

JAMAICA SELECTIONS (FAST)

1—Little Lynn, Last Tower, Pete's Best.
2—Granny's Image, Blue Serge, Albuldo.
3—Liberation, Blue Gem, Granda Max.
4—FIGHTING DON, Rocco, Tritos.
5—Subdued, Silvestra, Mahmoudess.
6—Ruth Ronan, Gabe Paul, Light of Morn.
7—Cruiser, Bright Camp, Histrionic.
—Louisville Times (F).

3—5½; $3000; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Albulli, 120 (Atkinson)	4.50	2.70	2.30
Shashane, 103 (Zubrinic)		4.20	3.20
Come Easy, 113 (Permane)			4.10

Hi Gallant, Fyros, Michigan Kid, Forum, Boiwyn.

5—1 1/16; $3000; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Haram, 119 (Arcaro)	6.30	3.40	2.80
Lieutdaer, 111 (Atkinson)		5.60	3.80
Highfortitude, 108 (Zubrinic)			6.40

Incatimel, Hibernian, Stage Set, The Prob, Jen, Dual Purpose, Bet Me, Indian Plain, Newcaster, Fharie.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $17.70.

6—5½; $3000; 2-year-old maidens

Stellar Role, 115 (Mehrtens)	6.40	3.50	2.70
Thereabouts, 115 (Zubrinic)		9.60	5.80
Fighting Lady, 115 (Lindberg)			6.60

Gallenia, Excalibur, Flaks, Mad Vixen, Alma Mater, Blacharn, Cherry Pit, †Come Later, †Tumult.

†H. McKelvey entry.

7—5½; $3500; 2-year-old up; allowances.

Liberty Trim, 110 (Arcaro)	4.80	4.20	3.00
Stage Queen, 110 (Steel)		23.50	7.70
Sharp Watch, 110 (Waldmann)			2.70

Mompesa, Eluros, Lost Control, Viretay, Katylee.

8—1 1/16; $4000; 3-year-olds up; handicap.

Oatmeal, 117 (Arcaro)	6.50	3.40	2.30
Petrol Point, 110 (Resnick)		4.90	2.50
Chalden Heath, 118 (Atkinson)			2.30

Nursery Tale, Bell-the-Cat.

9—1 1/16; $3000; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Omasmat, 119 (Atkinson)	7.60	4.40	3.20
Naval Station, 111 (Guerin)		7.10	4.30
Phoebe, 108 (Permane)			3.10

†Everspent, Huntsman, Aetherlred.

†Finished first but was disqualified and placed last.

10—1½; $2500; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

First Gun, 107 (Arcaro)		Rath Ronan	123
Plucky Boy, 111 (Resnick)		Black Swan	117
Light of Morn	115	Just John	111
Nth Tint	114	Gabe Paul	114
Captain's Aide	116	Home Run	108
Princess R. L.	107		

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Official Laurel Race Charts

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1945—By Walter Haight. WEATHER CLEAR. TRACK FAST.

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 2-year-olds up. Start good. Off at 1:47. Winner M. H. Everhart. Value, $1300. Time, 1:14⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
ROAD SCRAPER	(Rose)	112	2	2	1¹	1¹½	1¹	1¹½	$3.60
WALTER HAIGHT	(Mora)	112	12	6	7¹½	6²	3hd	2½	1.80
GAY BUCK	(Wood)	107	1	3	3²	4³	2²	3²	26.00
SOLVENT	(Mann)	110	10	1	4¹	3²	4¹	4½	10.25
COLOGNE GOVANS	(Cervalli)	107½	5	10	2²	2²	5½	5hd	8.50
GALLANT MOWLEE	(Dodson)	115	6	1	9²	7½	6¹	6½	11.10
SECOND LOVE	(Basile)	114	3	4	5¹	5hd	7hd	7½	7.40
BALLYRAG	(D. Scoca)	108	9	8	6¹½	8½	8¹	8²	21.70
SEA PILOT	(Scarbboro)	113	11	9	8hd	9¹	9²	9¹	31.10
GINGER MAN	(Claggett)	112	8	11	10²	10²	10²	10²	9.15
RABOUL	(Campbell)	112	4	12	11½	11²	11hd	11¹²	149.25
CRAGGWOOD MISS	(Challis)	107	7	7	12	12	12	12	205.05

ROAD SCRAPER, $13.20, $5.70, $4.30; WALTER HAIGHT, $3.80, $2.80; GAY BUCK, $9.00.

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Purse, $2000; claiming. For 3-year-olds up. Start good. Off at 2:19. Winner, J. Arthur. Value to winner, $1300. Time, 1:49⅘.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
CAMERA MAN	(Basile)	116	9	4	1¹½	1¹	1¹	1¹	$10.30
BEAUZAR	(Grosver)	118	4	3	5hd	5hd	4²	2²	2.55
WAR SHY	(Jemas)	113	5	5	7¹	6½	6¹	5³	3½	14.95
ROUGH NEWS	(Wall)	113	8	10	11¹	11¹	7½	6²	4hd	3.10
BIG MOOSE	(C. Mrk)	114½	12	7	3½	2hd	2²	3¹	1½	29.15
MERCY ANGEL	(Wood)	108	1	1	2¹	3¹	3½	4½	6²	7.85
PHARAWELL	(Conte)	110	3	3	4½	4½	5½	8½	7½	14.80
GOOD HITTER	(Snellings)	113	10	11	9¹	9½	8½	7½	8¹	16.10
THROUGH TRAIN	(Coule)	116	6	8	6hd	7½	10¹	10²	9²	41.30
HEADOVERHEELS	(Cherry)	111	7	8	10¹	9½	9¹	9¹	10²	14.20
TERRY MAY	(Martin)	110	11	6	8½	10hd	11½	11²	11²	22.55
VERIS	(Mattioli)	116	8	10	12	12	12	12	12	25.85

CAMERA MAN, $22.60, $9.40, $6.30; BEAUZAR, $6.50, $3.80; WAR SHY, $8.60.

Daily Double, ROAD SCRAPER and CAMERA MAN, Paid $186.70

THIRD RACE—About 2½ miles. Purse, $7500 (added); handicap. For 4-year-olds up. Start good. Off at 3:45. Winner, W. H. Lipscomb. Value to winner, $6100. Time, 5:00⅘ (17 jumps).

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	10	17	Str.	Fin.	Straight
MERCATOR	(Leonard)	145	3	4	3²	1²	1²	1²	1²	1²	$1.75
SHOTLO	(Riles)	130	2	3	2hd	2²	2²	2²	2²	2²	23.25
FLOATING ISLE	(Owen)	151	4	2	6	4	3¹²	3¹²	3¹²	3¹²	4.95
ROYAL ARCHER	(McGovern)	135	1	3	1¹	2²	4	4	4	4	2.40
ROYAL ARCHER	(McGovern)	135	1	3	1¹	2²	4	4	4	4	$2.40
†STAR BACK	(Krist)	142	5	1	5¹½	5¹					
TATU	(Mann)	114	3	10	8²	6½	5½	3¹	7¹	5¹	6.25
TALASEA	(Wagner)	111	5	11	9²	8¹	8²	7¹	8½	6²	25.30
QUESTION MISS	(Scawthorn)	109	12	5	5½	5hd	7½	9²	9²	7²	4.30
†ACK ROOM	(Wood)	111	1	12	12	9hd	10²	10²	10²	8²	15.85
†HANOMAN PLAYER	(Mack's Miss)	114	8	7	10½	11²	12	12	12	11²	13.85
BOSTOWN	(Campbell)	114	7	4	7½	10hd	11½	11½	12	12	147.00

†Disqualified and placed second. ‡Dead heat for fourth.
BEGGAR, $8.70, $5.10, $4.60; CANNIKIN, $8.50, $6.30; REFRESH, $11.10.

Laurel Entries, Jockeys and Odds

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2000; maiden 2-year-olds.

Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds
Jacoped (Root)	118	10-1
Black Tea (Cherry)	110	20-1
Galaxy (Schmidl)	118	8-1
†Sir Simp (Schmidl)	118	20-1
Transhot (Young)	118	4-1
†Uncle Doc (Erickson)	118	20-1
Run Lady (Dodson)	115	8-1
Tacaro Briar (Lang)	113	8-2
†Corkomian Lad (Root)	118	10-1
Little Sphinx (Snellings)	115	3-1
Jim O'Sullivan (Root)	115	10-1
Ringstown (Cherry)	113	20-1
Get Set (Haskell)	118	8-1
Dolomite (Bastle)	118	20-1
The Faktr (Wall)	118	8-1
Risr Black (Young)	118	5-1

†Reed and Hare entry.
MacCrow and Bryson entry.

SECOND RACE—One mile and 70 yards; purse, $2000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Jene Slam (D. Scoca)	110	8-1
Brother Dear (Lang)	114	3-1
Unitran (V. Scoca)	114	15-1
Sergeant J. V. (Dodson)	119	8-1
Dorothy Pomp (Wood)	111	2-1
Indian Sun (Covalli)	114	15-1
Rusty Steel (Torres)	116	20-1
Sun Target (Bauer)	114	12-1
Gramar Lassie (Cherry)	105	20-1
New Book (Barr)	114	20-1
Blockader (Jemas)	119	4-1
Cat Star (Ferd)	111	20-1
Cute Eye (Martin)	114	20-1
Bardy (Covalli)	111	20-1
Allen Cald (Cherry)	114	15-1
Las Vegas (Wood)	117	8-1

THIRD RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2500; 3-year-olds up; class E.

Red Canron (Martin)	102	12-1
Red Cin (Martin)	108	8-1
War Dressing (Vandergriff)	113	2-1
Upcheck (Wall)	110	4-1
Boy Flin (Munden)	113	6-1
Squadron (Haskell)	113	3-1
Sky Skipper (Gonsales)	117	20-1
High Master (Cherry)	102	12-1
Her Reply (Covalli)	105	20-1

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Blue Pom (Wood)	107	8-5
Be Calm (Gonsales)	109	10-1
Mona Veniture (Wood)	107	20-1
New Flame (Claggett)	106	15-1
Fire Power (Covalli)	112	20-1
Adviser (Bastle)	107	20-1
Maccase (Dodson)	120	7-2
Victim (Cherry)	112	7-2
Bottle Imp (Barr)	113	4-1

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2500; 2-year-olds; allowances.

Bill Ross (Claggett)	118	4-1
Poochanelli (Mora)	111	10-1
Blue Yonder (Young)	118	5-2
Under Cover (Covalli)	109	4-1
Jolly Scot (Jemas)	118	8-1
Too Secret (Breen)	113	20-1
O Gizi (Dodson)	113	20-1
Love My Gal (Wood)	108	20-1
Larkmead Andy (Ramirez)	116	3-1
SIXTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $3000; 3-year-olds up; allowances.		
First Pal (Vandergriff)	110	20-1
Umpydan (Bastle)	115	15-1
Abidi (V. Scocca)	110	20-1
Hygro's Ginger (Scawthorn)	110	20-1
Cherrydale (Griggs)	115	8-1
Royal Flush (Cherry)	110	6-1
Neat and Tidy (Torres)	107	10-1
Rurales (D. Scocca)	115	12-1
Equanimous (Young)	115	8-1
Flying Tartar (Wood)	115	8-1
Jeanavie (Covalli)	112	20-1
Pompion (Young)	118	8-5
†Gypster (D. Scocca)	124	6-1
Hi Neighbor (Claggett)	115	20-1
Phara Surprise (Root)	110	20-1
Sole Parate (C. Kirk)	113	20-1

†V. Cicero and Mrs. M. Cicero entry.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2000; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Romanicus (Jemas)	117	4-1
Maid of the Moon (Scawthorn)	112	12-1
Sun Mucia (Cherry)	104	5-2
Glaster (Root)	117	15-1
Big Dottie (V. Scocca)	104	15-1
Hill Fox (Dodson)	112	10-1
Gold Beach (Lang)	107	6-1
Skip Bid (Wood)	109	20-1
Proud Pappy (Claggett)	112	15-1
Finckney (Martin)	107	4-1
Display Flight (Young)	109	15-1
Prepossessing (V. Scocca)	109	20-1
Knight Cappy (Mora)	112	6-1
Battle Rock (Bauer)	104	20-1
Make Fast (Root)	111	20-1
Mary Knoll (Vandergriff)	109	10-1

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-fourth miles; purse, $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Valdina Infant (Root)	114	10-1
Flange (Bastle)	114	20-1
Mourtie (Claggett)	111	15-1
Rare Flares (Jemas)	114	2-1
Our Bien (Covalli)	109	4-1
Guilah (D. Scocca)	111	6-1
Elcan (Lang)	106	15-1
Lanceron (Lang)	103	4-1
Janegri (Wood)	109	8-1
Dissension Sir (Bauer)	109	15-1
Circle Car (Cherry)	109	8-1
Woodoody (Covalli)	110	12-1
Pompous Fox (Munden)	114	6-1
Wickcliffe Gal (D. Scocca)	111	6-1
Estate (Root)	111	8-1
Overcall (Challis)	108	20-1

LAUREL SELECTIONS (FAST)

1—Get Set, Kingstown, Uncle Doc.
2—SERGEANT J. V., Dorothy Pomp, Blockader.
3—Squadron, Sky Skipper, Upcheck.
4—Battle Rock, Miss Pom, Fire Power.
5—Bill Ross, Poochanelli, Jolly Scot.
6—Pompion, Flying Tartar, Gypster.
7—Proud Pappy, Sky Dottie, Glaster.
8—Janegri, Flange, Dissension Sir.
—Louisville Times (F).

Bill Bennings

AT LAUREL

1—Little Sphinx, Black Tea, Tacaro Briar.
2—Brother Dear, Sergeant J. V., Bardy.
3—War Dressing, Squadron, Ned Canron.
4—FIRE POWER, Mac Case, Victim.
5—Larkmead Andy, Jolly Scot, Under Cover.
6—Gypster, Neat and Tidy, Flying Tartar.
7—Love My Gal, Bill Fox, Prepossessing.
8—Rare Flares, Flange, Circle Car.

Travelers Brace For Bainbridge Game on Sunday

Camp Lee, Va., Oct. 17 (AP).—Camp Lee's Travellers go against possibly the strongest team they will meet this year when they tackle Bainbridge Sunday at Bainbridge Naval Training Center, Maryland.

Coach Hooks Mylin was present last Sunday when the Commodores whipped Aberdeen, 59-6, and the performance gave the Traveller coach plenty of food for thought.

Mylin was especially impressed with the work of Don Garlin, a halfback who starred at Southern California.

Bainbridge's line also possesses an advantage over that of the Leemen. Mylin commented on the work of Cliff Hobbs, a 230-pound Hopewell lad who attended Wake Forest, and Cecil Souders, star end of last season's Ohio State Buckeyes.

The Travellers lost to North Carolina and the New York Giants in their first two engagements this year and then defeated Camp Peary and Camp Dietrick.

Steelers' Jones Signs; Drop Back

Hershey, Pa., Oct. 17 (U.P.).—Halfback John Petrella, former Penn State star, was dropped from the Pittsburgh Steeler squad today to make room for Art Jones, a prewar star on temminal leave from the Navy.

Jones, who played with the University of Richmond before breaking into the professional game, reported for his first practice yesterday. The Steeler squad now numbers 33, including Fullback Allen Nichols, who has been benched because of a broken foot.

Rockingham

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1—5½; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Flying Legion	117	Plandome	108
Fighting Finn	106	Round Up	104
Circus Wings	108	Gray Victory	104
Resolution	106	Metiscosa	120
Mervyn Leroy	120	Devil's Guide	111
Star of Padula	111	Valley Sue	108
Garden Pet	111	One to Two	111
Jes Loy Me	108	Oarse	103

2—5½; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Foxy Prince	104	Saratoga Polly	108
Pretty Lady	109	Queen Advice	101
Jane Hughes	108	Attention	104
Remrax	114	To Town James	111
Destination	108	Senior Prom	111
Weapon's Pride	103	Dusky Countess	108
Midlief	106	Helen Land	120
Tell Me More	112	Busy Bee	108

3—5½; $2000; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Miss Wolverine	103	Sphinjar	111
Bee W Bee	111	No Bounds	114
Selcap	111	June Dear	108
Linda M.	108	Supal	111
Clyde T.	111	Rita Royal	111
Martha Grier	108	Melody Lass	108
Rough Shower	103	Jr. O'Sullivan	106
Green Log	106	Ben Moon	106

4—5½; $2000; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Glorious Sec	108	Royal Silver	108
Smoothy	108	Persiflage	111
Hicomp	108	Grand Corso	108
Nat's Reward	111	Mattie Sue	108
Grey Squire	111	Madigama	115
Over Ice	108	Allson	111
Mack's Miss	111	Reformatory	114
Boom On	111	Sea Victory	106

5—5½; $2200; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Ramsey	111	Mixer	106
De Kalb	120	On the Double	108
Two Kick	113	Valdina Bina	104
Little Hoops	114	Lady Golden	111
Lady's Orphan	107	Aneipital	111
Warrawee	111	Ebro	111
Picket Line	109	Valdina Minies	108

6—1 1/16; $2500; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Unknown Reward	111	Mixer	115
Hidden Ace	113	Omission	111
Iron Works	117	F. B. Eye	112

7—1 1/16; $2300; 3-year-olds; claiming.

Red Bush	108	Rude Minx	108
Alpine Astarte	108	Scarlet Pansy	111
Boongarel	114	Happy Forecast	108

8—1½; $2000; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Alcinous	107	Wine Cup	109
Agni	114	Pistol Pete	112
Texalite	108	Brooklandville	117
Wishihadagal	108	Jack Dove	106
Round Clock	104	Step Up	111

ROCKINGHAM SELECTIONS (FAST)

1—MERVYN LEROY, Star of Padula, Metiscome.
2—To Town James, Selma Lad, Tell Me More.
3—Over Ice, Reformatory, Persiflage.
4—Picket Line, Ba Kalb, Warrawee.
5—Mixer, Iron Works, Omission.
6—Scarlet Pansy, Boongarel, Happy Forecast.
8—Brooklandville, Pistol Pete, Step Up.
—Louisville Times (F).

1—1½; $1800; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

Eight Rolls, 114 (Snyder)	5.40	5.20	3.40
Guy Hotiel, 114 (Vessella)		11.80	6.40
Edasel, 106 (McKeever)			2.80

Phalom, Brocade, Oceanus, Mokus, Cheetah, Infant Queen, Kate's Silver, Dallasite.

2—5½; $1800; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Eric Knight, 111 (Rogers)	31.40	17.40	10.40
Dorothy's Boy, 111 (Gross)		35.00	17.30
Sky Bound, 106 (Keene)			4.80

Solar Star, Singing Fan, Creamy, Zacaumazumza, Signalar, Bert's Chance, Fair Call, Jean Le Diable, Lawyersville.

DAILY DOUBLE PAID $224.80.

3—5½; $1900; 3-year-olds up; claiming.

Wine Chance, 109 (Keene)	9.60	5.40	4.80
Dairy Lady, 108 (Hettinger)		8.60	6.00
Rough Man, 114 (Bisto)			6.60

Tetra Rock, Surf Rider, Harpsichord, Carolina P, Betty Grable, Free Double, Hemfax, Diego Red.

4—1 1/16; $1900; 3-year-olds; allowances.

Malachi, 111 (McMullen)	15.60	6.80	5.00
Lively Man, 112 (Keene)		4.20	4.20
Gay Glow, 112 (Tobin)			5.00

Count Bill, Chow, Thor Barton.

5—5½; $2000; 3-year-olds up; allowances.

Bar Willow, 102 (Tobin)	10.40	5.40	3.60
Valdina Craft, 120 (Bisto)		5.20	4.00
Papa H, 109 (Keene)			4.00

Dream Parade, Fire Kabo, Hill Sun, What a Play, Onecbill, All Free, Anna

Mary Haworth's Mail

Young Mother's Story of Abusing Children During Nervous Rages Draws Mixed Reaction From Women; Some Sympathize; Others Storm

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Reading your column of September 27, I was astounded to find that the situation paralleled a former problem of mine. This was the story of a young wife, 29, married 10 years, mother of two children—a son, now 5, and a daughter, 3.

Her affliction is an uncontrollable temper, she says, which developed just before the birth of the second child. At times, when unbearably irritated, she mistreats the children cruelly. Worried by her actions and recognizing her need of help, she asks if psychiatric treatment is the answer.

Book Brought Light to Her

Is there any way I can reach that poor woman, to tell her what helped me? I chanced on a copy of "The Imitation of Christ," by Thomas a Kempis, which since has become my constant companion and guide. It has taught me how to live; taught me that any task we have to do, however impossible it may seem, can be done successfully, just by doing our bit a little at a time.

Suddenly, almost before you know it, the hardest task is finished, if you do your duty a step at a time. Life is so much easier that way—as easy as walking, once you learn how. I am a new reader of your column and this is my first letter to any newspaper, but I shall consider the exception justified, if this note puts "A. W." on the right track. N. R.

Calls Candor Saving Grace

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Replying to "A. W.," on September 27, you suggest that poor heredity may be at the root of her difficulty; that she may be "constitutionally defective;" may suffer "general incapacity for living adequately on the mature level."

Granted that she is emotionally immature; her shortcomings are not necessarily of hereditary origin. I have seen many such cases where the mother herself was the victim of similar wrong handling in childhood. And "A. W." appears to have one saving grace. She is completely honest with herself and you, which is unusual in the particular pattern of behavior she displays.

Ordinarily, persons who show ungovernable temper try to justify their unreasonable actions. And many mothers resent their children some of the time. Like our other emotional responses, those toward our children are apt to be ambivalent. This mother comes nearer than most to acknowledging her inner tensions as the source of difficulty. You might have been kinder to her, even though your advice remained the same. L. N.

In Same Class As Axis Crimes

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: We storm about concentration camp atrocities, yet right here under our nose is your correspondent "A. W.," a pampered young wife, binding her children hand and foot, gagging them, striking them in the face, beating them with a heavy strap—and they scarcely more than babies—just because they get on her nerves. Oh, God!

What sort of a mouse is her husband? Why does he permit such things? This mother's behavior is a perfect example of the reason why we have child delinquency; why children grow up to be gangsters and even murderers. Abuse din their defenseless formative years, their resentment grows into hatred of everyone and is demonstrated in acts of crime. I have reared a family and I confess to losing my patience and temper many times, but never to the point of abuse. E. F.

Grandmother Is Horrified

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: Your reply to "A. W." was much too mild. Being myself the mother of four, and grandmother of two darling babies, I know how trying it is, at times, to raise a family—but to be as inhumane as she is beyond the wildest imaginings of normal people.

She speaks of her husband—devoted to his family and home, very much liked by everyone. What is this perfect man doing about his children? Where are the neighbors? Our Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children was formed to see justice done in such cases. If this mother cannot control herself, she should be placed in an institution, where the only one she can attack will be herself. A. D.

Mary Haworth counsels through her column, not by mail or personal interview. Write her in care of The Post.

Harris & Ewing

DRESS REHEARSAL for the Junior League's Conference Day Fashion Show, to take place tomorrow at the Mayflower, occupies Mrs. Quinn Morton, left, who will be among those modeling clothing from the league's Thrift and "Outgrown" shops. Mrs. John Stanley, chairman, examines the frock which will be sold for the benefit of the Junior League Welfare Fund

Junior League Sets Luncheon, Fashion Show

Junior Leaguers will model clothes from their "Thrift and Outgrown" shops at their conference day luncheon tomorrow at the Mayflower.

The luncheon and fashion show will be a social interlude in the day-long series of meetings during which members will discuss plans for their participation in the welfare needs and problems of postwar Washington. Mrs. Herbert S. Little will serve as chairman of conference day.

Models for the fashion show will be Mrs. Harrison Brand, 3d., Mrs. Henry T. Allen, Mrs. William H. Lowe jr., Mrs. Murray Borden jr., Mrs. Walter W. Boyd, Mrs. E. Morton Freligh jr., Mrs. Quinn Morton, Miss E. Stratton Nicolson and Carol Cooke, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Cookes.

Proceeds from the sale of clothing from the two league sponsored shops will go as always to their Welfare Fund.

Mrs. Van Zandt Speaks Before Local Club

Mrs. Lydia Van Zandt speaking before the Washington Club Tuesday deplored recurrence of isolationism in this country.

"These symptoms," said the speaker, "are evident in the bitter criticism of our former Allies, reluctance of Congress to appropriate funds for UNRRA and in the emotional demands or immediate demobilization of our armed forces without regard for our international commitments to help police the world."

Speaking on "The Place of the United Nations Charter in the Post-war World" Mrs. Van Zandt stated, "The Charter only lays the foundation. It's up to us to build the structure for the protection of international peace and security. The success or failure of the structure depends upon how fast and how well people can learn to live together in a world which technology and science have shrunk until it has become a single community."

The speaker who has traveled throughout most of the world by airplane expressed the conviction that the transport plane will become the chief architect of a peaceful world.

Mrs. Van Zandt charged club members with responsibility for influencing public opinion toward world cooperation. "Let's not allow temporary setbacks such as the stalemate at the Conference of Foreign Ministers in London to turn us back into the byways of isolationism which will inevitably led to a third World War," she concluded.

Mrs. Wallace Honor Guest At Thrift Tea

Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, wife of the Secretary of Commerce, will be guest of honor at the Montgomery County Thrift Shop's benefit tea Saturday, 4 to 6 p. m. at the home of Mrs. E. A. Merritt, 9312 Connecticut ave.

In-the-Woods, the Merritt estate famed for its artistic plantings, will be open to the public. The price of admission is a piece of bric-a-brac, brought unwrapped and deposited at the door.

Mrs. Merritt, president of the Thrift Shop Board, will receive with Mrs. B. Peyton Whalen, founder and former president; Mrs. Eugene Scott, chairman, Women's Board, Montgomery County General Hospital; Mrs. Walter E. Perry, chairman, Women's Auxiliary, Suburban Hospital, Bethesda; Mrs. John B. Ecker, president, Montgomery County League of Planned Parenthood; and Mrs. Jesse Nicholson, regent, Chevy Chase Chapter, DAR. Mrs. Frank P. Wilcox will preside over arrangements of a definitely "prewar" tea.

The Thrift Shop was started in the fall of 1943 with funds realized from the sale of salvage by the Women's Activities, Maryland OCD, under the leadership of Mrs. Whalen. To date over $20,000 profit has been returned to the participating agencies to be used in health and welfare work in Montgomery County. Chevy Chase Chapter, DAR, is the most recent of the above agencies to join the shop at 4715 Hampden lane, Bethesda, Md.

Besides supplying an outlet for much needed prewar articles in a war crowded community, the Thrift Shop has provided the funds for extra clinical help to the county's needy. Transportation to clinics, medical advice on family planning and certain costly drugs, such as insulin and penicillin, have been given to the indigent. The bright, comfortable furnishings of Suburban Hospital, Bethesda, and the remodeling of kitchen and nurses' home at Montgomery County General Hospital, Olney, have been made possible by Thrift Shop earnings. Negro school children in the county are already feeling the good effects of the DAR's new program for more healthful school surroundings and a substantial hot lunch.

Members of the executive board of the Thrift Shop will serve as hostesses at the tea. The officers are Mrs. Merritt, president; Mrs. Robert Garrett, vice president; Mrs. Edward Adams, secretary; and Mrs. J. Hamilton Vance, treasurer. Mrs. Donald F. Roberts is chairman of publicity.

Music will be played by the Shoreham Hotel Trio, under the direction of Mrs. Marvin Johnston, chairman of program.

Town Talk—

Hull's Memoirs Would Make Good Reading; Funeral Wreath Tip-Off on Living Quarters

By Elizabeth Churchill

THE MEMOIRS of Cordell Hull will be something to read. If he ever gets a chance he'll write them. The reason Mr. Hull hasn't time to put his memories down on paper is because, quite unlike other officeholders who leave their posts, he's not forgotten. No one is interested in past glories in Washington. Their love of the present is insatiable and the devil take the future and the past. The former Secretary of State with his wife and partner, Frances Hull, remain ever in our conscious mind, and there is no visiting foreign dignitary who doesn't call to pay respects.

Though their life is comparatively quiet and their recreation consists of walking and motoring, all those who have taken up the reins he relinquished beat a path to his doorstep for advice. At the moment he is concentrating on his report of Pearl Harbor for the investigating committee.

The Hulls have lived in Washington for 35 years and the "Jedge" was a Congressman when he courted his wife. So the Capital is more home to them than Tennessee. Recently they sold their place in Carthage.

"People have forgotten we ever lived there," said Mrs. Hull, "and what was the use in keeping it."

Thank goodness the Hulls are here to stay.

I'VE heard of, and actually know, people who follow the obituary notices hoping for a vacant apartment or house. I actually know that the Hon. and Mrs. Mike Monroney are living in a very delightful house because Mary Ellen saw a funeral wreath on a front door, noted the address and went straight to a real estate office. That's what wartimes will do to you. But all this is leading up to the color of another horse as I said once before.

Up in New York former Gov. Charles S. Whitman, who now lives in political obscurity but with his fingers still on political pulses, was awakened one Sunday morning at an unreasonable hour by a gentleman with a loquacious temperament on the telephone. Without pausing for breath he launched into his own past political history. "I used to campaign for you when you were running for Governor, etc . . ."

"Yes, yes," broke in the Governor. "But what do you want?"

"Well, I was head of such and such a precinct . . ." and this went on and on, with the Governor wiggling his toes with more irritation every minute.

"For heaven's sake come to the point," he screamed in the phone.

"I want you to help me get the seat on the bench of the Blank Blank Court of Appeals," finally said the other end of the telephone.

"There's no seat vacant," roared the Governor.

"Yes, there is," came the reply, "Judge So-and-So died last night."

IT WAS a little darker than dusk when Mrs. Claude Pepper slowly approached a police officer beating his beat in front of the house where the party was held.

"Have you a knife?" she asked in a husky voice.

The officer held his breath for what was to come next.

"I want you to help me steal some autumn leaves," she explained.

The policeman began to breathe again, and quite gallantly helped the Senator's wife snitch a branch from the roadside.

MINISTER from Egypt and Mme. Hassan aren't worried a bit about missing all the early winter fun in Washington. They left Tuesday for a visit in Cairo where they'll be for two months of Cairo fun. They took their two daughters with them, but left their son, Amr in St. Albans Military School.

Mrs. Townsend Visiting Here

Back in Washington for one of her brief, annual visits is Mrs. Lawrence Townsend, who is being welcomed by scores of old friends.

While here Mrs. Townsend is the guest of Mrs. Wilbur Carr. Yesterday she was guest of honor at a small luncheon given by Mrs. George Thorpe, when guests included Mme. Wei, Mme. Hurban, Mrs. Charles McNary, Mrs. Robert Guggenheim, Mrs. Wade Ellis and Mrs. Carr.

Mrs. Townsend is here after having passed the summer at Schroon Lake, N. Y., where she and Mr. Townsend have a home. As is their custom, they will go to Florida late this month to be at their residence there until spring.

Unit Will Hear Talk By Malvina Lindsay

Homemakers' section of the District Home Economics Association will hold the first meeting of the year in the auditorium of the Gas Light Building, 11th and H sts. nw., at 1:30 p. m. tomorrow.

Miss Malvina Lindsay, Washington Post columnist, will lead the discussion on "What One Little Woman Can Do," with emphasis on the challenge that homemakers face in this atomic age.

This is the first in a series of meetings to be centered around the theme, "The Homemaker, a Good Citizen in a Changing World."

Leave For Montevideo

The Ambassador of Uruguay and Senora de Blanco have left with members of their family for a visit in Montevideo. During their absence of about two months the First Secretary, Juan Felipe Yriart, will serve as charge d'affaires of the embassy.

Ration Points

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FATS, MEATS, ETC. — Red stamps A1 through E1 remain good Until October 31; F1-K1 until November 30; L1-Q1 until December 31; R1-V1 until January 31.

SUGAR—Book Four stamp 38 good for 5 pounds through December 31.

SHOES—Book Three airplane stamps 1, 2, 3 and 4 good indefinitely. OPA says no plans to cancel any.

Martha Ellyn's Platter Chatter

Clever Is the Cook Who Can Whip Up Meal From 'Nothing'

TIP TO THE WISE—When the refrigerator holds eggs, quick-frozen vegetables, a small amount of ham and a bottle of milk, the cook needn't be worried when unexpected guests drop in at meal time. A platter of Eggs Benedict and quick-frozen asparagus tips such as pictured will need no apologies to the most honored

Into the life of every cook comes a time when she must improvise. Unexpected guests often come when the refrigerator is not bulging with food. At other times the food budget may not stand much strain, like buying chops, steaks or roasts.

But as long as there is a supply of eggs, some bread slices and a little meat, a satisfying main dish can be prepared. I'm thinking specifically of Poached Eggs Benedict. This was a dish that saved the "face" of this editor recently when two friends dropped in and I wanted them to stay on for an evening's visit.

In my refrigerator was a slice of ham, box of frozen asparagus tips, eggs, a bottle of milk. I also had three English muffins. The three of us feasted on the following menu:

Dinner Menu

Chilled Vegetable Juice
Poached Eggs Benedict
Asparagus Tips
Tossed Vegetable Salad
Vanilla Ice Cream Fudge Sauce
Coffee

The sauce used on the Eggs Benedict was Mock Hollandaise, made with milk and requiring very little fat. It is much easier to make than the regular Hollandaise and it will not curdle. In fact, if the meal has to be delayed it can be kept warm for some time without ill effect. You leave the sauce in the top part of the double boiler over hot (not boiling) water. The lemon juice is added at serving time. This is the recipe for:

EGGS BENEDICT

Split three muffins. Toast and spread with butter or margarine. Cover with thin slices of fried or broiled ham. Thin slices of spiced or boiled ham may be used, or even a deviled ham spread. Top each slice of meat with a poached egg and cover with Mock Hollandaise Sauce, made by the following recipe:

Mock Hollandaise Sauce—Melt 2 tablespoons margarine, butter, or bacon drippings in the top part of double boiler over boiling water. Blend in 1½ tablespoons sifted flour and ¼ teaspoon salt. Gradually add 1 cup bottled milk and cook, stirring constantly, until sauce is thick and smooth. Stir the hot sauce slowly into one beaten egg yolk. Return to saucepan and cook over hot, not boiling water, for about 3 minutes. Stir in 1 tablespoon lemon juice just before serving.

Cheese Fondue is also a dish that can be made from the foods found in most every refrigerator. This is an oven dish that you prepare in this way:

CHEESE FONDUE

Mix 1 cup scalded milk, 1 cup soft stale bread crumbs, ¼ pound mild cheese cut in small pieces (1 cupful), and 1 tablespoon butter or margarine. Cook these ingredients over low heat until smooth, stirring with fork. Add 2 or 3 egg yolks beaten until lemon-colored. Cut and fold in 2 or 3 stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into buttered baking dish and bake 20 minutes in moderate oven, 350 degrees. If a firmer product is desired, bake for 30 minutes. Serves 4.

Mrs. Hurwitz Gives Farewell

Mme. Seni Pramoj, wife of the new Premier of Siam and former Minister of the United States, was guest of honor at a farewell luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. Nathan Hurwitz, who entertained at the Carlton Hotel.

Mme. Wei, wife of the Chinese Ambassador, and Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower joined the group for cocktails before luncheon and left to keep other engagements.

Mrs. James F. Byrnes, wife of the Secretary of State, was a luncheon guest, and others in the company were Mme. Chautemps, Senora de Munilla, Mrs. Peyton March, Mrs. Lawrence Arnold, Mrs. Elizabeth Howinska, Mrs. Leo Brison Norris, Mrs. Walter Wyatt, Mrs. William Disque and Mrs. Alva Brewer.

Three to Discuss Full Employment For Voteless Unit

A panel discussion on full employment will be the feature of this month's meeting of the evening group, Voteless District League of Women Voters, tomorrow at 7:45 p. m. in the conference room of the Council of Personnel Administration, 1726 K st. nw. Participants will be Miss Frieda S. Miller, Miss Florence Peterson and Miss Lucille Buchanan.

Panel members will summarize provisions of the proposed full employment bill, sum up reaction of various public-interest groups to the measure and point out questions that have a bearing on full employment.

The evening group was set up to provide an opportunity for women who work to participate in the study of current national and international issues.

Steering committee for the group includes Mrs. R. G. Arneson, chairman; Mrs. Stanley Orear, Miss Virginia Black, Miss Lucille Buchanan, Miss Ruth Cole, Miss Janette Harrington, Mrs. Helen Steward, Lieut. Frances Partridge and Miss Leslie Clark. Mrs. Robert Leonard, president, Voteless League, is ex-officio member.

Biebushes to Entertain

Mr. and Mrs. Clarendon Smith will be guests of Col. and Mrs. Fred Biebush this Sunday at Quantico, Va.

Florence Cahill Is Betrothed To Lieutenant

Hessler Photo.

MISS FLORENCE M. CAHILL . . . *Washington fiancee*

Mrs. James A. Cahill announces the engagement of her daughter, Florence McKinney Cahill, to Lieut. John Floyd Waggaman 2d, USAAF. Miss Cahill is the daughter of the late Dr. Cahill, widely known Washington surgeon who was professor of surgery at Georgetown University School of Medicine at the time of his death in 1942.

Miss Cahill was graduated from the Convent of the Sacred Heart, class of 1944. She also attended Duchesne Residence School, New York, where she majored in art. She is granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James A. Cahill, an old Washington family. Her maternal grandparents are the late Mr. and Mrs. James Prescott McKinney, New York.

Lieutenant Waggaman is the son of Maj. and Mrs. Ennalls Waggaman and grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Floyd Waggaman. He was educated at the South Kent and Evans Tuscon Schools and recently returned from two years' service in the Army Air Corps as a fighter pilot in Italy, China, India and Burma. Lieutenant Waggaman is now on temporary leave and will soon report for duty in North Carolina.

The marriage will take place in the spring.

Mrs. Flagg, Son Here

Mrs. Anna Smith Flagg, with her young son, Henry Varnum Butler Flagg, is making her home at 2401 Calvert st., after spending the past several months with her grandparents, Vice Admiral and Mrs. Henry Varnum Butler, at Belle Meade, Va.

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TERRY

HOTSHOT CHARLIE THINKS I'M A PRIZE GOOFBALL BECAUSE APRIL KANE IS GETTING SET FOR A WEDDING —AND I CLAIM I HAVEN'T ASKED HER TO MARRY ME!
GEEWS I LOVE APRIL — BUT EVERY TIME I THINK OF BEING MARRIED, I GET A PANICKY FEELING... GOLLY, EVEN IF I STAY IN THE ARMY I CAN OFFER HER VERY LITTLE IN THE WAY OF LUSH AND PLUSH...
MAYBE BEING AN OFFICER HAS DONE THIS TO ME, BUT I THINK OF HOW SOFT APRIL'S LIPS ARE —AND HOW NICE IT WOULD BE TO HAVE THAT COTTAGE AND STUFF...THEN I WONDER HOW YOU EVEN START TO BUY A COTTAGE — AND MY KNEES GET LIMP...
LEE! TERRY! GET BACK INTO POSITION! THOSE JERRY PILOTS OVER ITALY WERE NOT AS BAD AS ONE SWOON-GROOM PLAYING TOSCH TAG IN A P-47!

JOE PALOOKA

SHIRTS
STOP IT, JERRY.
COME DOWN, YA BUM....COME DOWN AN' SAY THAT AGAIN!!
WHAT IS IT?
YOU'RE ACTING LIKE A BARN FOOL!
HE SHOWED ME KHAKI COLOR TH'
ALL I DID WAS SHOW HIM A BROWN SUIT.
I'M SORRY, SIR... I'LL WAIT ON YOU MYSELF.

MARY WORTH

FLAME DARLING!--IT'S REALLY YOU? I HALF REMEMBER THINKING YOU'D RUN AWAY!
I HAD, GARRY!
BUT--OUT THERE ON THE LAKE--MY HEART TOOK THE HELM AND STEERED THAT CANOE ACROSS TO THE VILLAGE! I GOT DR. ROCKWALL UP AND WE CHUGGED BACK IN HIS CRUISER---!
THE LAST THING I REMEMBER WAS YOUR SAYING... "I'VE LEARNED TO HATE YOU!"
YOU WEREN'T THE ONLY ONE WHO WAS OUT OF HIS HEAD, GARRY---! ONLY I'VE BEEN GOOFY FOR WEEKS!
SWEETHEART! BE CAREFUL. ...YOUR ARM...!

MYRTLE

I SENT MYRTLE TO THE GROCERY AN HOUR AGO AND SHE HASN'T COME BACK!
I DON'T KNOW WHERE MYRTLE WENT, BUT THAT'S YOUR BASKET!
YOU USED TO CARRY THAT BASKET WITHOUT PUFFING!
MAYBE I OUGHT TO SEE THE DOCTOR!

MICKEY FINN

MISS TITE TOLD MISTER CONRAD NEVER TO DEFLATE YOUR TIRES AGAIN, SIR!
HE'D BETTER NOT--OR I'LL DEFLATE HIM!
I'M GOING UP AND GET SOME SLEEP, UNCLE PHIL!
OKAY! I'LL KEEP THINGS UNDER CONTROL!
HMM! FUNNY I DIDN'T NOTICE THIS BEFORE--I WONDER WHAT IT IS SUPPOSED TO REPRESENT?
THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH!

DIXIE DUGAN

IS THERE ANY POSSIBILITY OF KEEPING MICKEY IN THE FAMILY?
HEY- I NEVER THOUGHT OF THAT
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
HOW'D YOU LIKE TO BREAK INTO THE SHOW BUSINESS, AND WORK FOR ME?
HMM-DERFUL — BUT I'VE NEVER BEEN ON THE STAGE
I DON'T MEAN THE STAGE - YOU CAN START AS SWITCH-BOARD OPERATOR - LATER I'LL HAVE YOU TYPE SCRIPTS - YOU'LL LEARN AS YOU GO ALONG
YOU MIGHT END UP BY BEING A PRODUCER LIKE JUD — WHO KNOWS?
?? HMM--WELL--O.K.
THAT MIGHT BE A GOOD JOB AT THAT - I CAN MAKE BIGGER CONTACTS - TALK TO LOTS OF BIG SHOTS--
?? SOMEHOW YOU WORRY ME A LITTLE MICKEY

CHIEF WAHOO and STEVE ROPER

AS THE CLOCK TICKS TOWARD MIDNIGHT AND DOOM FOR STEVE ROPER, A HOTEL LAUNDRESS MAKES A PUZZLING DISCOVERY!
MISS BRONSKI! COME HERE... QUICK!
LOOK!--I AM PRESSING THIS NAPKIN, WHEN ALL OF A SUDDENLY FROM NOWHERE COMES WORDS!
HELP! SEND POLICE TO ROOM 717
WITCHCRAFT IT IS! FROM IDIOTH HERE I AM GOING AWAY! --BUT FAST!
DON'T BE AN IDIOTH! HEAT FROM YOUR IRON BROUGHT OUT A MESSAGE IN INVISIBLE INK
B-BUT--WHAT DOES IT MEAN--?
SOME GOOF'S IDEA OF A PRACTICAL JOKE! GET BACK TO YOUR WORK!

WINNIE WINKLE

I BORROWED THESE OLD RAGS TO TRY AND DISCOURAGE PRISSY
WINNIE. YOU LOOK A MESS!
HE'LL RUN WHEN HE SEES YA!
MISS WINKLE, PERMIT ME TO COMPLIMENT YOU ON THE DRESS YOU'RE WEARING.
WHAT? YOU MEAN YOU REALLY LIKE THIS OLD RAG ???!
IT SHOWS YOU'RE THRIFTY AND IT'S MORE SUITABLE FOR WORK THAN THE FANCY FROCKS YOU'VE BEEN WEARING!
WHAT DID PRISSY SAY ABOUT YOUR RAGGEDY- ANN DRESS?
NOTHING DISCOURAGES THAT DOPE! HE ACTUALLY LIKED IT!

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

STUNNED BY THE IMPACT OF FOXY'S SNEAK SHOT, KING WANDERS THROUGH THE FOREST, AIMLESSLY...
WHILE ONLY A FEW HUNDRED YARDS AWAY...
JEEPERS! CAN'T THIS NAG GO ANY FASTER? WE'LL NEVER BE IN TIME!
LOOK, FOOTLOOSE, A CAMP FIRE!
IT'S-TH' POSSE! THEY'RE FIXIN' T'LYNCH BILLY!

DONALD DUCK

FELLOW CITIZENS, I COME BEFORE YOU TO—
SSST—THIS MIGHT BE SUCH A GOOD CORNER FOR THE SPEECH—LOOK!
SOAP
FRESH FR AND VEGETABL
AH, HERE'S A GOOD CORNER!
FELLOW, CITIZENS, I WISH TO—
BRICK YA
UNCA DONALD, LOOK!
FELLOW CITIZENS, I WISH TO—
PIANO STORE

CRANBERRY BOGGS

GRANNY! CAP'N GRAMPS! HOW DID YOU GET HERE?
NO TIME FOR QUESTIONS NOW, CRAN!--YOU'RE ON THE AIR!! HURRY!
--AND TO SHOW OUR APPRECIATION-WE HAVE ARRANGED A COMPLETE TOUR OF CHINATOWN FOR YOU AND YOUR GRANDPARENTS
G-G-GORSH I DON'T THINK WE'D CARE FER THAT, SIR, ---YA SEE NONE OF US CAN SPEAK CHINESE!
AYE, WE BE SORTA BACK-WARD!
C-C-COULDN'T WE BE HAVIN' THREE TRAIN TICKETS BACK TO COD CLIFFS INSTEAD?
HMM-OKAY! IT'S A DEAL!

DOTTY

TAKE A LETTER MR. DRIPPLE--ANY LETTER
GO AHEAD--GIVE IT A TRY!
DO YOU DO THAT WITH EVERYBODY?
NO, BUT THERE'S NO SENSE IN LETTING A JOB GET MONOTONOUS!
U.S. MAIL

PENNY

HAVE YOU MET THE NEW GIRL WHO MOVED IN NEXT DOOR, PENNY?
NO, MOTHER, SHE HASN'T EVEN BEEN TO SCHOOL.
I THINK SHE'S JUST ABOUT YOUR AGE.
COULD BE.
WHY DON'T YOU INVITE HER OVER AND MEET HER?
OH, I DON'T KNOW, MOTHER.....
I DEFINITELY DON'T THINK SHE'S GOING TO BE MUCH FUN.

SUPERMAN

SOME FIANCE YOU ARE! NEVER ANYWHERE ON TIME! ALWAYS RUNNING OFF AND LEAVING ME! ALWAYS CHANGING ANY PLANS WE MAKE! I WON'T STAND FOR IT!
BUT, LOIS—THERE WAS A FIRE IN THE FIRE HOUSE!
YES—AND PLENTY OF FIREMEN TO PUT IT OUT. AND NOW I'M LATE FOR WORK, AND—
YOU HAVE A MINUTE YET. WE CAN STILL MAKE IT. LET'S GO!
GREAT SCOTT!
BELIEVE ME, IF IT EVER HAPPENS AGAIN—!
DON'T TELL ME! DON'T SAY A WORD! I KNOW THAT LOOK! YOU'RE GOING TO RUN OFF AGAIN!
WELL—ER—UH—IT DOES LOOK LIKE A JOB FOR SUPERMAN!

NAPOLEON

MR. JAY TERMITE MC ELLSWORTHY, I FEEL GREATLY HONORED TO HAVE SUCH A FAMOUS DOG HOUSE ARCHITECT ACCEPT THIS COMMISSION.
I AM NOT THAT GREAT MAN. I AM MERELY AN ASSISTANT. MY ASSOCIATE MEASURED YOUR DOG'S INTELLIGENCE QUOTIENT. I MUST NOW MEASURE THE DOG.
HERE HE IS. HIS NAME IS NAPOLEON. HE WEIGHS 200 POUNDS.

Today's Radio Programs

THE WASHINGTON POST
Thursday, October 18, 1945

THURSDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30, Prelude, 6:05, Town Clock (Trafton Robertson, 7:10-9, David Wills, 7:45.	News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30, Bill Herson, 6-9, Weather, 6:30.	Top o' the Morning, 5:32, News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8, Musical Clock, 6:05, The Paiges, 8:30.	News 6, 7, 8, Jerry Strong, Wake Up With WINX, 6:05-9.	Wake Up at 6; Mike Hunnicutt, 7-9, Devotions, 6:45, News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15, 8:45	Corn Squeezing Time, 5:45-6:45, News, 6:45, 7:30, 8, Godfrey, 7-9:45, Mahoney, 7:40,
9	:00 The Breakfast Club :15 " " " :30 " " " :45 " " "	Fun and Folly with Ed East & Polly News, Holly Wright Broadway Melodies	Frazier Hunt Texas Rangers Marshall Adams	News; Music in the Air Music in the Air Musical Reveille	Clean-Up Quiz Capt. Cash Club What's New Songs for the Service	News, Godfrey Arthur Godfrey Home Service Daily
10	:00 My True Story :15 " " ; News :30 Church Hymns :45 Listening Post	Robert St. John Lora Lawton Road of Life Joyce Jordan	News; Billy Repaid Faith in Our Time Tommy Johnson at the Organ	News; Music Music Hall " "	Bing Crosby Capt. Cash Open House " " " "	Valiant Lady Light of the World Evelyn Winters Bachelor's Children
11	:00 Breakfast With :15 Tom Breneman :30 Ruth Crane :45 " "	Fred Waring " " Barry Cameron David Harum	Cecil Brown Elsa Maxwell Here's Kopeland Letters to Lindlahr	News; Symphony Mozart's Duo Concertante (Heifetz, Primrose)	Blessed Eventer Man on the Street Prize Show " " ; News	Amanda Second Husband A Woman's Life Aunt Jenny
12	:00 News, Evans :15 Ted Malone :30 Glamour Manor :45 " "	News; Improvisations Look to This Day Matinee Today " "	News, Wm. Lang Morton Downey Richard Maxwell Swing Time	WINX News Movie Snapshots Luncheon Lyrics " "	Password, Please " " News; Missing Persons Personal Problems	Kate Smith Speaks Big Sister Helen Trent Our Gal Sunday
1	:00 David Wills :15 Constance Bennett :30 Music Box :45 (Trafton Robertson)	Nancy Osgood " " Carolyn Gilbert Morgan Beatty	News; Love Notes Easy Rhythms Stone and Brito John J. Anthony	News; Bouquets Musical Bouquets " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Life Can Be Beautiful Ma Perkins Margaret MacDonald Young Dr. Malone
2	:00 " (Ida Clark) :15 " " :30 The Fitzgeralds :45 " "	Guiding Light Today's Children Woman in White Hymns of All Churches	Cedric Foster Jane Cowl Queen for a Day " "	News; Interlude National War Fund Walter Salb; Organist " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Two on a Clue Perry Mason Rosemary Tena an. Tim
3	:00 Accent on Music :15 " " " :30 Ladies Be Seated :45 " "	Women of America Ma Perkins Pepper Young's Family Right to Happiness	WOL Open House (Russ Hodges, Dale Morgan, Variety, Music, Sports, News)	News; Tea for Two Tea for Two " " "	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	Aunt Mary Janica Gray News; Evans Easy Aces
4	:00 Jack Berch Show :15 Accent on Music :30 News, Evans :45 Hop Harrigan	Backstage Wife Stella Dallas Lorenzo Jones Widow Brown	Erskine Johnson WOL Open House " " "	News; Band Wagon Broadway Band Wagon Jam for Supper Post News Conference	All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman All Sports Parade Tony Wakeman	G.E. House Party " " " ; News Stump Us Club " " "
5	:00 Terry & the Pirates :15 Dick Tracy :30 Jack Armstrong :45 Tennessee Jed	When a Girl Marries Portia Faces Life Just Plain Bill Front Page, Farrell	News Superman Captain Midnight Tom Mix	News; Music Hall Music Hall " "	Band of the Day Sinatra vs. Crosby News; Theater Theater of the Air	This Living World " " News; City Desk Factfinder
6	:00 News; Agronsky :15 Kenny Baker :30 Earl Godwin :45 Singing Sam	News; Leif Eid Musicade " ; Bergman Lowell Thomas	News; Music So the Story Goes Johnson Family Russ Hodges	WINX News Sunset Serenade Bob Wolff, Sports Dinnner Date	Melody Lane " " Sports Roundup Supper Club	Mahoney; Costello Ned Calmer; Maj. Elliot "6:30 Show" News; Harsch
7	:00 Headline Edition :15 Raymond Swing :30 Wonder Flame :45 " "	Supper Club News of The World Bob Burns " "	News, Fulton Lewis Jr. Songs of Good Cheer Serenade Inside of Sports	News; Music Dr. D. F. Fleming Walter Salb, Organist " "	Romantic Rendezvous Roosevelt Hotel Orch. News with Austad Alice Lane	Mommie and the Men Vic and Sade Mr. Keen " "
8	:00 Lum 'n' Abner :15 Earl Godwin :30 Town meeting :45 H. V. Kaltenborn	Burns and Allen " " " Dinah Shore " "	Music of the Americas Richard Eaton, News Rogues' Gallery " "	News; Magic in Music Magic in Music Town Opera House " "	News; Navy Band Navy Band Hour News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	"Suspense" " " FBI in Peace and War " " ; News
9	:00 Walter Duranty :15 Ernest Lindley :30 Detect and Collect :45 " "	Kraft Music Hall " " " Saalfeld Village Store " "	News; Gabriel Heatter Real Life Stories Starlight Serrenade " "	News; Symphony Brahms' Double Concerto Heifetz, Feuermann	News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe	Andre Kostelanetz " " Hobby Lobby " "
10	:00 Curtain Time :15 " " :30 CommunityWar Fund :45 Music—Manhattan	Abbott and Costello " " Rudy Vallee " "	The Better Half " " The Sinfoniette " "	News; Dance Music USO Club Dance " " Sacred Heart	News; 1450 Club Jackson Lowe News; Super Session Super Session	The First Line " " " Powder Box Theater " "
11	:00 News, Evans :15 Hour of Dreams :30 " " " :45 " " "	News; Music Richard Harkness The Story of Music " " "	Voice of Washington Fulton Lewis, jr. Moonmist (Organ, Poetry); News	WINX News Musical Roundup Traffic Court " "	News; Time Out Time Out Sports Prevue (Boxing)	News; Daily & Kolmer Arch McDonald's Moondial B. Wain, Andre Baruch

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7:00 p. m.—Twilight Serenade
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7:30 p. m.—Walter Salb
7:45 p. m.— "
8:00 p. m.—News
8:10 p. m.—South American Way
8:30 p. m.—Town Opera House
8:45 p. m.— "

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9:00 p. m.—Easy Listening
9:15 p. m.— "
9:30 p. m.— "
9:45 p. m.— "
10:00 p. m.—News
10:05 p. m.—Concert Hour
10:30 p. m.— "
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The Washington

Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

THE NEXT TWO MONTHS of President Truman's life are filled with junkets similar to that which he has just taken through the heart of the Mark Twain country. At first, newsmen covering the White House figured that he took these trips for political reasons, but they have now changed their minds.

The President takes these junkets because he loves them. Never since that fateful April day when he took the oath of office has he had more fun than at Caruthersville, Mo., where he swapped yarns with the local postmaster, got up at 6:15 to "spit" in the Mississippi River, and ran out in the street to ring the bell of a small-scale locomotive.

The locomotive was being conducted through the streets of Caruthersville by the "Forty and Eight" Club of the American Legion (commemorating the "40 men—8 horses" capacity of French freight cars in the last war). Suddenly the President of the United States spied it. Perhaps it reminded him of 1918 when he unloaded artillery horses from those same French freight cars in the Meuse sector. Or perhaps he just felt very much at home in Caruthersville.

Anyway, with a shout to War Mobilizer John Snyder, who once worked behind the cashier's cage of small-town Missouri-Arkansas banks, Harry went over to the locomotive. Right then and there the war mobilizer and the President of the United States had the time of their lives staging a locomotive bell-pulling contest.

War Mobilizer Snyder took a special plane back to the humdrum life of strikes, inflation and reconversion.

Presidential Chaff

CIGAR-CHEWING GEORGE DRESCHER, the Secret Service chief, came in for some criticism for letting the President take off from Washington Airport in a misty rain when commercial planes were grounded; also for letting the Truman party drive along winding rain-slick Virginia roads at 60 miles an hour. . . . Also at Paducah, Ky., the "Sacred Cow" came down on a landing strip with just a few inches to spare. . . . Some don't blame Drescher entirely, on the ground that he has become a close pal of Truman's and is overruled by him. . . . Truman demands that all those around him be chummy.

Patient Charlie Ross, alleged press relations chief, got pushed all over the place by aggressive "friends around Truman." Georgie Allen, John Snyder and Drescher all handed out news about the trip. Ross chiefly gave the names of minor local personalities who chewed the fat with Truman. . . . Both John Snyder and George Allen tried to pooh-pooh the importance of Truman's statement on our keeping the "know-how" on the atomic bomb. They said the story wasn't news-worthy. . . . Truman dropped the story to newsmen at one end of the Widow Morris' porch at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn. After watching correspondents scurry off into the night looking for telephones, he remarked: "Sometimes I forget that I'm President."

All sorts of people chinned with Truman. Once the docile President of the United States stood for 10 minutes while a local character monopolized his time wanting to know how he should go about getting a birth certificate. . . . County Tax Assessor Obey Coker, the county "strong man," was also much in evidence, together with Roy Harper, who has always managed Truman's senatorial campaigns in southeast Missouri. . . . On the last leg of his trip, at Gilbertsville, Ky., Truman wound up his speech with the impromptu remark: "Let's all cut the foolishness, go home and get to work." He was not, of course, referring to himself.

Secret Service Frowns

OF COURSE, the Secret Service men didn't like it, but regardless of them, Harry Truman certainly enjoyed being Harry Truman.

Another incident the Secret Service men didn't like was when the President arose shortly after 6 a. m., left the austere frame 42-room Majestic Hotel which had been cleared of guests in his honor, and walked down to the Mississippi River. It seems that there is an old custom in those parts which makes it incumbent upon a visitor to spit in the Father of Waters.

The Secret Service men, not being in the know regarding this spitting custom, were taken by surprise. One of them, however, spotted the truant President of the United States ambling off in the direction of the river, sounded the alarm, and a few minutes later, four bodyguards were trailing him.

After Harry got through spitting, he skimmed a few stones out over the river, found that his technique as a stone-skimmer hadn't changed since boyhood days, and was then content to go back to town.

On the way, he met two old Caruthersville cronies, Neal Helm, county wholesale liquor dealer, and James Reeves, former commander of the American Legion. They swapped stories as they walked down to the post-office, where they dropped in to see Postmaster Bailey S. Brooks. There they swapped some more.

Back in Washington, Secretary of State James Byrnes was just back from the most disastrous diplomatic conference in recent history with a lot of pressing problems to straighten out. In New York, Detroit and the coal mining areas, strikes were sending creeping paralysis up the industrial spine of the Nation.

But the man who never really wanted to be President was enjoying himself back home.

"Harry has a strong Cabinet," maintained one of his friends, "and he feels they are quite qualified to handle things without him."

Whether right or wrong, there is no question but that Harry Truman got a great kick out of forgetting he was President.

Note—Finally, after several phone calls from Washington, Jinx Falkenburg from New York that her guest house on the farm was for the exclusive use of Jinx and her husband, Col. Tex McCrary, who should be landing any minute . . . Bing Crosby chose wisely when he selected Esther Williams as honorary chairman of the swimming activities for Sister Kenney's infantile paralysis foundation. She can't serve until after her return from Mexico. She'll actually go into the bull ring down there . . . King Kennedy reports from south of the border that he ran into Jinx Falkenburg's mother, who looked like an ad for a fiesta or a bull fight—she's gone completely Latin . . . Cobina Wright does a stunt for the boys at the canteen that sets them on their ears. If somebody doesn't put it in a picture they're losing the best comedy gag of the year. She holds her French poodle in her arms and they sing duets to each other. I swear it's true—I heard 'em.

Stranger Than Fiction

Martin Gosch, who produced Abbott and Costello's last Metro picture (which is cleaning up), is at Santa Fe writing an original screen story. Then he'll go to New York to consult with George Kaufman about doing a play. This one could be called "Twice in a Lifetime" . . . Three months ago it was reported Charley Smith would marry June Duprez. I stated there would be a little matter of divorce first, that Mrs. Isabel Smith didn't know anything about it. Well, now she does and she's divorced the gent, so he and June have only one year to wait for that marriage . . . The Gary Coopers are off to Sun Valley. A friend of theirs loaned them a house for a month.

Made It Pay

Robert Preston's wife, Catherine Craig, did a neat job of reconversion. Took his silk rubberized escape map and made a scarf; turned two Nazi helmets into hanging flower pots; made a nightgown from pieces of a parachute. From Bob's battle jacket—a sports shirt; uses his boots for door stops; and the foot locker—from which she got all this loot—is now an oversized window box full of bloomin' flowers . . . Leland Hayward's "Midsummer Night's Dream" will turn into "A White Christmas," since Sally Benson's "Eight Cousins" is about ready for rehearsals. Ralph Blaine, who's doing the music, told me about a song he and Sally dreamed up—"Sunday Night Supper in the Kitchen." John Van Druten produces. Maybe Jane Powell and Kathryn Grayson's brother will sing. Joe Meliziner does the sets and lighting, just as he did for the San Francisco Conference. By the way, whatever happened to that security?

Harbinger of a Hit

Monday I think it was that it said here that in the hands of Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse such a political comedy as Dick Maney's weekend announcement indicated "The State of the Union" to be, might easily justify such a descriptive as "hilarious." Apparently it justifies a great deal more than that.

While we are not accustomed to accept out-of-town verdicts as final, the Philadelphia press on the new Lindsay-Crouse charade is so unanimously enthusiastic as to arouse the suspicion that "The State of the Pnion," theatrically speaking, must be slightly terrific.

The City of Brotherly Love perceives in the play coming into the National in the wake of "Dunnigan's Daughter," not only hilarity, but timeliness, a sound political viewpoint and the sort of courage that dares to speak out and say a great many pertinent and pungent things that need to be said.

All of that is what we had in mind, more or less, as the probable flavor of a new play by the authors of "Life With Father" and producers of "Arsenic and Old Lace" and "The Hasty Heart."

Philadelphia's "death watch" is as fallible as any other, but it can't be wholly wrong when it all speaks out in the same voice and the same high pitch of favor as in this case.

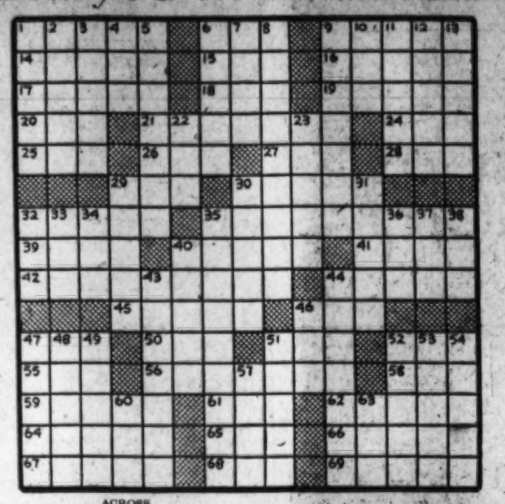
Now is the time for the better Washington voices in quest of a hearing to scrape off the rust and begin to tune up for a postwar opportunity. Harry Krivit, former director of the Rhythm Rockets at Loew's Capitol and now producer for USO-Camp Shows, Inc., wishes to advise the Capital's experienced singers that productions of "The Chocolate Soldier" and "Irene" will soon begin rehearsals in New York. Harry is expected in Washington over the weekend. Those desirous of auditions may make application to him, by mail only, care of Loew's Capitol Theater, before Sunday. The applicant's phone number—and this is important—should be included in the application. Of prime consideration, of course, is the fact that those accepted will receive a salary of $70 per week, with expenses paid overseas. So there it is.

There is quite an attraction billed for Constitution Hall on Monday night, October 29. On that date, presumably at the conventional hour of 8:30 p. m., the Vassar and Wellesley College Clubs of Washington will jointly sponsor the first concert appearance in the Capital of Victor Borge and his Concert Orchestra, for the benefit of their scholarship funds. Mr. Borge's unique talents as pianist and comic satirist are already widely known to the Capital through the radio and his individual appearances here. The orchestral background should round out an evening of extraordinary artistry. In view of a probable sell-out—as in the case of Sigmund Romberg—it seems desirable to know that tickets already are on sale at the Snow Concert Bureau, 1108 G st. There is no one before the American public quite like Mr. Borge.

Merely-a-Suggestion Note

The law should be made flexible enough to restore "daylight saving time" when days like yesterday come along.

Today's Cross-Word Puzzle



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1 Craze
6 Dread
9 Tenent
14 Deck
15 Assume
16 Paragon
17 Birds' houses
18 Dexterity
19 Sawlike organ
20 Metal
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24 Mutilate
25 Masculine nickname
26 Heart's core
27 Lament
28 Wary
29 Backward
30 Smart
32 Melts
35 Side chapels
39 Broken
40 Son of Priam
41 Gumbo
42 Teach
44 Woolly cloth
45 Green dish
46 Tp keep company: colloq.
47 Pendant
50 Crest
51 Perched
52 Priestly vestment
55 Bustle
56 End
58 Hill
59 Removals
61 Individual
62 Disintegrate
64 Musical works
65 Disburden
66 Series
67 Err
68 Beverage
69 Ire

DOWN

1 City in Georgia
2 Revere
3 Eminent
4 Indignation
5 Replies
6 Major Joppolo got it a bell
7 Promise
8 Divert
9 Contradict
10 Madrigal
11 Rudiments
12 Israelites' first stop in the wilderness
13 Wing-shaped
22 Since
23 Demolishes
29 Genus of cats
30 Fragment
31 Complain
32 Adversary
33 Vase
34 Salt
35 Somnolency
36 Nickname of a five-star general
37 Before
38 Pensive
40 Garden flower
43 Channel
44 Rags
46 Dance step
47 Edible rootstocks
48 Master
49 One who is lost
51 Undressed kid
52 Expiate
53 Stop
54 Stock
57 Indigo dye
60 Cycle
63 Cuff

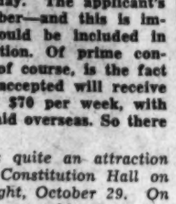
HALF IDEAL SCRY
AJAX NUBIA ALAS
LACE INORDINATE
FRET MEN DODDER
DENIS DEN
ALARIC VERITIER
RUE PARIS CONIC
ACHE LINKS NODE
BROAD VASES PEN
SENTINEL DIVERT
NOR LINER
SLOGAN TAM NAPE
NOMINATIVE IBEX
OMER SALEN ALTO
WANT EXERT REST

Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

One Studio, at Least, Is Short of Shortage; Notes of the Theater

IF ANY HEADACHES are being suffered by those in charge of RKO-Radio's West Coast studios, they cannot be blamed on worry over the absence of star names from the lot.

It says in this bulletin I have here that Cary Grant, Ingrid Bergman, Claudette Colbert, John Wayne and Dorothy McGuire all have signed in at RKO-Radio to pick up important work before the cameras.



Ingrid Bergman

Not five pictures, but three will engage the activities of this notable quintet.

"Notorious," being produced and directed by Alfred Hitchcock against a South American setting, will utilize the talents of Grant and Miss Bergman.

Miss Colbert and Wayne are costars of "Thanks, God, I'll Take It From Here"—did somebody say short titles are best?—coming to the screen as a Jesse L. Lasky-Mervyn LeRoy production.

Miss McGuire has the stellar role in "They Dream of Home," which Dore Schary is producing with Edward Dmytryk directing.

Even had two more likely scripts been crying out for casting, the front office brasshats still need not have torn any hair over a star shortage.

Any one of the above is ample "box-office" for any picture.

For the partial satisfaction of those whose curiosity has been aroused by the competely engaging quality of the performance being turned in by Conrad Janis, in the juvenie role of Barney Brennan, with Fay Bainter in Mary Chase's "The Next Half Hour," at the National, we are happy to record that the youthful Mr. Janis has been around a bit in the theater for one of his years. Max Gordon, his present producer, introduced him to the public in "Junior Miss" at the age of 15—Mr. Janis, not Mr. Gordon. He executed his appointed stint in that smash hit 710 times before the descent of its final curtain. More recently he resigned a part in "Dark of the Moon" to accept the lead in Columbia film version of the comedy "Snafu," scheduled for release in late November. In between times he has found opportunity to appear on the radio in New York, Boston, Chicago and Los Angeles. If he can maintain the pace and perfection of his performance in the current piece, it will be unnecessary in future to enlighten or remaind anyone as to his theatrical identity.

Reconversion has caught up with the Theater Guild. Having been discharged from the Army after a considerable stretch of honorable service, it was Joseph Heidt who popped into the office a day or so ago in the interest of "Dunnigan's Daughter", the new S. N. Behrman comedy opening a two-week engagement in the National Theater next Monday night. Mr. Heidt has resumed his duties as chief of the public relations and publicity department of the Guild. The last time he was officially visible in a professional capacity it was in uniform and conjunction with the local engagement of Moss Hart's original stage version of "Winged Victory." Having been stationed at Bolling Field for a considerable period preceding his discharge, Joe returned to the Capital under strict orders from his boss. "For heaven's sake," Lawrence Lagner had admonished him upon leaving New York, "when you get to Washington don't turn into the first recruiting station you see and reenlist!" He didn't.

LEONARD LYONS

Gossip From Gotham

New York, Oct. 17.—Next week representatives of the Reparation Commission will meet to determine the disposition of war factories in Germany. In the event that two or more of the Allies claim the same factory, the final decision will be made by lot—an old-fashioned drawing out of a hat . . . President Truman assured a week-end visitor that the permanent home of the United Nations Organization will be in San Francisco . . . Because the President feels he shouldn't meddle in local New York politics, he won't give specific indorsement to Bill O'Dwyer. He feels that last week's photo of O'Dwyer and Truman at the White House is enough.

President Truman

Maj. John Huston, the film director, will be discharged from the Army this week . . . The Cabinet meetings at the White House have been changed from Friday afternoons to Friday mornings. The change was made because at the afternoon sessions the Cabinet members kept their eyes on the clock, mindful of catching the Congressional Limited, the fastest train to New York for the weekend.

The murder case against Vito Genovese, who had been brought back from Italy where he worked for AMG, is collapsing. The principal witnesses against him are either dead or can't remember. . . . Henry Wallace will make a major speech in New York within 10 days, in which he will attack the trend in Washington. . . . Mrs. Renee Hatch, the unfortunate lady who killed her two children in a fit of insanity, has been released from the Matteawan State Hospital as recovered. She's being held in a jail in Westchester County. Her release is expected after the election.

Herb Brownell, jr., chairman of the Republican National Committee, will make a speech in Washington this week, on the future of bi-partisan politics . . . Silvers, the former pug who was arrested after a murder at the Club Ball in Brooklyn, has beaten the rap. He will stand trial, however, for extortion . . . Eddie Loughlin, the leader of Tammany Hall, will be the sponsor of a bill to be introduced in Albany, providing for the elimination from the ballot of any candidate who condones libelous campaign material published in his behalf . . . At the Potsdam Conference, Stalin promised to send Truman a case of vodka. It hasn't been delivered yet.

When the Germans first occupied Biarritz, they went surfbathing in formation. They lined up on the beach, undressed when the command was given, and marched together into the water. The tough, Basque inhabitants watched grimly from a distance as the German soldiers came out of the water, minus 78 Nazi troopers who had been drowned by the strong undertow about which not one person in Biarritz had warned them . . . The Biarritz inhabitants now are erecting a monument to one of their Nazi-killing Allies. The monument consists of an exquisitely carved marble wave.

Assistant Secretary of War John McCloy may go to Germany soon, to occupy one of the top civilian posts in military government. . . . In addition to the Friday meetings, the War Cabinet now meets with the President at an informal luncheon in the White House. Ten guests attended the most recent one. . . . Lew Brice, brother of Fanny Brice, commented upon the change that has come over Michael Todd since he became a successful producer. "I remember you from the old days, and those days may return again," Brice warned Todd. "I hope to live to see the day when again you come to me for a dollar—and I haven't got it to give you."

Damon Runyon returned to Memorial Hospital yesterday for a check-up . . . The Democratic National Committee, which used to keep only a skeleton staff between presidential elections, now is working on a full-time basis. Its Washington staff, formerly consisting of only two employes, now has 63 . . . Last week Germaine Aussey divorced John Ringling North. Part of her complaint was that North spent too much time finding a mate for Gargantua, the gorilla in the Ringling Bros. Circus. After North found M'Toto for Gargantua, some one asked North: "But suppose he doesn't like M'Toto?" North shrugged: "As far as he is concerned, M'Toto is the last woman in the world.

Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas, Secretary Forrestal and Secretary Clinton Anderson have written articles for the next issue of "Young Democrat," published by the Affiliated Young Democrats here . . . The Persian Room insists upon making Hildegarde's return there an event for formal dress . . . Richard Wright has written the introduction to "Black Metropolis," a story of Negro life in Chicago . . . General Devers now will admit that he held back the story of the suicide of Nazi General Rommel—the story which Devers got from Rommel's widow. It was held back because Rommel's son still was in Nazi hands.

More than a dozen years ago two men participated in the murder of a New York policeman. They both were arrested. One of the defendants, Vogel, was tried, convicted and electrocuted in 1933. The other defendant, Ralph Florance, pleaded insanity. Psychiatrists examined him, ruled him insane and Florance was sent to an institution for the criminal insane. . . . Now Florance has confessed that he simulated insanity, that he was faking all the time. He soon will be released, after 12 years, to stand trial for murder.

Stowaway Bride Of Yank Arrives At Her New Home

Rochester, N. Y., Oct. 17 (AP).—Bright-eyed with excitement, Donesse Heath Kuhn, stowaway English bride, reached her new home today.

"I'm glad it's over—but I'd go through it again to be with Bob and to have our baby in this country," the 20-year-old girl declared as she got acquainted with her husband's family and prepared to inspect the five-room cottage "Bob" has purchased.

She arrived here just a week after she landed in Boston aboard an American troopship on which she had hidden under the bunk of her husband, Robert Kuhn, 23, a discharged soldier who had joined the Merchant Marine in order to visit his wife.

The red-haired English girl's child will be born in March.

The couple drove here from New York City, where they had been since Monday, when immigration officials granted "Don" permission to remain in the United States one year on a temporary visa.

You Wave Not Flag But One 'Meatball'

Tokyo, Oct. 17 (U.P.).—From now on, any Japanese who wants to do some flag-waving will wave the "meatball" or nothing.

Sources close to Gen. Douglas MacArthur said today the supreme Allied commander was planning to issue an order prohibiting the Japanese from flying their national battle flag—the Rising Sun with red rays.

"The meatball national flag, the red ball on a white background, will be displayed only," these sources revealed.

Netherlands Gets $50,000,000 Credit To Buy U. S. Goods

The export-import bank yesterday announced the signing of loan agreement with the Netherlands for a credit of 50 million dollars. The credit will be used to purchase United States farm and manufactured products applied for under lend-lease but which had not been contracted for before VJ-Day.

Terms of the credit, which represents a maximum amount against which the Netherlands can draw, include:

1. The 50 million dollars is to be available until June 30, 1946.
2. Interest will be at 2¾ per cent per annum on the unpaid principal balance, with interest payable on January 1 and July 1 of each year.
3. The credit advances are repayable in 60 approximately equal installments, the first becoming due July 1, 1946.

There are three stars in our galactic system more luminous than the sun, says Dr. Peter van de Kamp, director of the Sproul Observatory at Swarthmore College. The brightest is Sirius, the Dog Star, at a distance of eight light years and a candlepower of 30 times that of the sun, followed by Procyon, the Little Dog Star, and Altair.

HEDDA HOPPER

They Bank on Belita!

Hollywood, Calif., Oct. 17.—The King brothers aim to spend a million dollars to star Belita on skates in "Glamour Girl." They think she'll be prettier in Technicolor than Sonja Henie. . . . George Raft is set for "Nocturne" at RKO. Now don't tell me he's turning from crime to music. Wonder who'll play the piano for him? Paging Mr. Horowitz! . . . Guy Madison snared the part of the year in "They Dream of Home" opposite Dorothy McGuire. . . . Ralph Blaine, who wrote "The Trolley Song," sang two of his latest hits at Cobina Wright's the other night—"Connecticut" and "Lay That Peace-pipe Down"—both of which should have been in "Ziegfeld Follies." . . . London's gone mad over "Weekend at the Waldorf"—and why not? They've never seen anything like that hotel and never will again. It's standing the customers on their ears in New York, too, but in Europe they'll never finish talking about it. . . . If Brock Pemberton doesn't find another "Harvey," he's just going to have to go on the road and play it himself.

George Raft

Honors to Hero's Widow

The widow of Maj. Richard Bong received a letter from the head of the Royal Australian Air Force stating that the King had approved the award of the Distinguished Flying Cross to her late husband. Mrs. Bong is now in her home town, Superior, Wis., to participate in the dedication services of the new American Legion hall which has been named in honor of America's ace of aces . . . No, the studios are not turning down war stories. They're still buying 'em. Paramount possesses "Beachhead in the Wind," by Carl Jonas, a tale of servicemen in the South Pacific and their readjustment after returning home.

Here and There

Paulette Goddard telephoned

Policyholders' Attorney Wants Order Reversed

United States Court of Appeals had under consideration today an appeal affecting policyholders of the National Benefit Life Insurance Co.

This company went into receivership in September, 1931, with assets of $3,768,472 according to Levi H. David, policyholders attorney. David states that assets have now shrunk to $236,000.

The appeal asks the court to reverse an order of June 19. This order appointed Fred J. Eden, special master to examine the accounts of receivers and also revoked a December, 1937, order directing the court auditor to state the accounts of receivers.

'Woman' in Dormitory Puts USO Staff in Dither

Fort Worth, Tex. (U.P.).—A frantic porter burst out of the elevator and into the Servicemen's Center.

"There's a woman asleep in one of the bunks on the third floor," he yelled to night staff members.

A hurried conference was held, and the night staff rode up to the dormitory room—a room for men only.

There she was, sound asleep, her wavy brown hair spread on a pillow.

"We can't have a scandal. How did you get in? What are you doing here?"

There was no response.

Tippitt remonstrated, pleaded. To no avail.

Adequate Peace Chaplaincy Is Advocated by Leaders

By Robert Tate Allan

An adequate peacetime chaplaincy was urged yesterday by religious, Army and naval leaders.

Addressing a luncheon of the General Commission on Army and Navy chaplains at the Statler Hotel were Navy Secretary James Forrestal; War Secretary Robert Patterson; Admiral William N. Thomas, Navy Chief of Chaplains; Bishop Edwin H. Lee, General Commission director; Brig. Gen. Carlos Romulo, resident commissioner of the Philippines, and others.

Sees Continuing Need

Striking the luncheon's keynote, Secretary Patterson said that in the days ahead the Armed Forces will continue "to need the spiritual contribution that comes only from contacts with chaplains." He assured that the spiritual aid given service personnel was "fully as valuable as the arms and equipment we've given them on the material line." The Army is "forever in debt" to the chaplains, he said.

Secretary Forrestal say an adequate peacetime chaplaincy as necessary to counteract what he termed "corrosive boredom" which he said afflicts many men in the service when war ends.

The speed of modern life demands religion in peace as well as war, he said, and added that the world is wondering if "our moral sense and political wisdom can keep pace with our technological advances."

Among the other speakers were Rear Admiral William Fechteler, assistant chief of the Bureau of Naval Personnel, and Gen. Thomas T. Handy, deputy chief of staff, USA.

The Right Rev. Henry J. Sherrill, Episcopal Bishop of Massachusetts and chairman of the General Commission on Army and Navy Chaplains, presided at the luncheon—a feature of the commission's fall meeting. Business sessions were held in St. John's Episcopal Parish Hall, 16th and H sts. nw.

Closer Fellowship Of Clergymen Urged

The Southeastern District of the Missouri Lutheran Synod yesterday adopted a resolution urging closer Christian fellowship between white and Negro Lutheran clergymen.

The resolution was presented at a parley at Christ Lutheran Church, 16th and Gallatin sts. nw., attended by clergymen from six States and the District. Sessions will end today.

Church Briefs

Mayor Theodore McKeldin of Baltimore, will address a building fund rally tomorrow at 8 p. m., at Chevy Chase Methodist Church. . . . The annual youth banquet of Luther Place Memorial Curch, Thomas Circle, is set for today at 630 p. m. . . . The Washington Methodist Union will sponsor a rally tomorrow at 8 p. m. at Mount Vernon Place Methodist Church, 9th st. and Massachusetts ave. nw. The speaker will be Dr. Albert Day, director of the Methodist Board of Evangelism. Petworth Methodist Church, Grant Circle, wil sponsor a youth dinner tomorrow at 6:30 p. m., in connection with the church's fortieth anniversary.

Virginia League of Cities To Meet in Richmond Sunday

Alexandria officials will attend the convention of the Virginia League of Municipalities, beginnng Sunday, at John Marshall Hotel in Richmond, Va.

The assembly will open at 8:30 p. m., with conferences scheduled Monday and Tuesday. Mayor William T. Wilkins of Alexandria is listed as a discussion leader for the luncheon Monday.

Alexandria's city building inspector, Anthony Remigius Lash, second vice president of the building officials group in the league, will conduct a meeting of the group Monday afternoon.

Other Alexandria officials planning to attend include City Manager Carl Budwesky, City Attorney Joseph M. Pancoast, City Tax Collector C. Page Waller, Fire Chief James M. Duncan, City Engineer C. Luckett Watkins, City Auditor William Topping and City Registrar Fred Petitt.

Police Chief Edgar Sims will attend the two-day convention Wednesday and Thursday of the Virginia Association of Chiefs of Police, of which he is third vice president. Captain Sims will be one of six participants in a round table discussion Wednesday at 2 p. m. on delinquent women and girls. Maj. James H. Boice, chief of police in Lynchburg, will be the leader. Sessions will be held at the John Marshall Hotel in Richmond.

Also meeting at the hotel October 28, 29 and 30 will be the Virginia State Fire Chiefs Association, of which Fire Chief James M. Duncan, jr., of Alexandria is president. He listed the following officials among those planning to attend:

Fire Chief Samuel J. Pope of Boston, president of the International Association of Fire Chiefs; Fire Chief Henry R. Chase of Miami, Fla., president of the Southeastern Association of Fire Chiefs; A. C. Hutson, assistant chief engineer of the National Board of Fire Underwriters from New York; Sherwood Brockwell, fire marshal of North Carolina; Lieut. Gov. William Tuck of Virginia; State Labor Commissioner John Hopkins Hall, jr., and McCarthy Downs, State commissioner of the bureau of insurance and banking.

JANE ARDEN

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I DIDN'T THINK I'D BE ABLE TO BUY A RADIO NOW—
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